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## BIG POWDER HOUSE AT NAOMI BLOWN UP.

### Striking Miners There Are Blamed for Running Battery to the Building and Setting It Off.

### A MINER MURDERED AT EDNA.

Shot Down While Almost in Doorway of His Home at Adamsburg Westmoreland County—Charged to Strikers—Injunctions Are Granted There—Pittsburg District Mines May Go Back to Work Next Week

The big powder house of the Naomi Coal Company, an independent firm operating near Fayette City, was blown up last night between 10 0 and 11 o'clock The report of the explosion was distinctly heard all over the Yough region It rattled the windows slightly in Connellsville and many inquiries were made this morning At first it was reported that the couple of the Pittsburg Coal Company at Banning No 2 had been blown up This proved incorrect Officials of the Pittsburg Coal Company at Banning this morning stated no trouble of any kind had occurred at their Banning mine At Fayette City this morning it was stated that the Naomi Company's powder house could not have been blown up unless some one had a battery to it The miners who have been on a strike since Monday are blamed for setting the big magazine off A great hole was torn in the ground and some windows in the neighborhood were shattered No one however was hurt by the force of the explosion.

The first bloodshed of the coal strike in Westmoreland county occurred at the Edna plant of the Baltimore & Pittsburg Coal Company near Adamsburg last night While going from his home to an outbuilding John Wessel was shot from ambush A bullet from a 38 caliber revolver passed through his body and he died in about two minutes Wessel was a striker and had not worked since the men went out

It is alleged that he had weakened and that he had promised the superintendent of the works to go in this morning Wessel was a Hungarian 40 years old and leaves a wife and four children His wife gave birth to the baby of the family three days ago and she is in a serious condition

Edward E Robbins in behalf of the Pittsburg & Baltimore Coal Company applied for an injunction last night to restrain the strikers at the Edna plants from interfering with the miners who want to continue at work The application was argued before Judge Lucien W Doty and was granted

At the Penn Gas Coal Company's works at Youngtown yesterday there was some excitement caused by a demonstration of miners The meeting did not pan out very well An attempt will be made to resume work at Edna on Monday

As a result of a meeting of the independent coal operators in the Pittsburg district at Pittsburg yesterday it is possible that all labor differences will be settled by the middle of next week At the meeting it was agreed to release the different operators from their agreement to stand pat against the advance demanded and it is believed that many of the independents will sign the wage scale today and that the men will be ordered back to the mines Monday morning

### VOLUNTARY ADVANCE

Granted to Miners in the Meyersdale Regions

There is much rejoicing in the Meyersdale region over the action of the coal companies in giving their holders 3,000 miners a voluntary raise of five cents a ton The Somerset Coal company subsidiary to the Consolidated Coal company is the heaviest operator Day labor is to be adjusted on the same basis The independent operators are all following the larger concerns in the wage advance

General Superintendent John G Bayden and General Manager L T Malone of the Consolidation Pittsburg and Somerset Coal companies in explaining the raise to the Meyersdale miners said that it was the policy of the companies to pay the men all they the conditions would permit and this policy would be continued in the future

### PADDY McGEE BACK

In Town From His Winter Sojourn at the County Home

After a sojourn at the County Home Paddy McGee is back in Connellsville He has an annual contract for his hospitality and is a flower boy is with quite a number of Connellsville people and the good weather brought him back to his old stamping ground

Paddy is recognized as one of the best gardeners in Fayette county but he has a habit of jumping his job when it is about half completed

### VERRA RELEASED.

Was Not Accountable for the Death of Mike Benyo

Uniontown April 7—All the jurors summoned to attend the last week of court for the March term were discharged this morning except two panels those serving on the suit against the Dunbar Furnace Company and one which will on Monday take up the case of Leonard W Wilson against Harry Beeson and others This case is the last on the list to be tried

Sentence court will be held next Wednesday at nine o'clock when all who have not been sentenced will learn their fate

Alex Verra of Star Junction who killed a fellow foreigner named Benyo in a playful boxing bout last Wednesday was released this morning on his own recognizance The blow that caused Benyo's death was entirely accidental

### PORE DIES OF WOUND.

Mt. Pleasant Chief of Police Expired at 8 O'clock This Morning—Murderer Still at Large.

Braden Pore chief of police of Mt Pleasant, died this morning at 8 o'clock at the Memorial hospital from the pistol wound inflicted Thursday evening by Andrew Lindsay Young Lindsay and Thomas Wilson the companion who was with him at the time of the shooting have not been captured Diligent search has been made over the entire section of Western Pennsylvania Not the slightest trace of the men has been secured For this reason it is thought they may be hiding somewhere in the vicinity of Mt Pleasant or adjoining counties Descriptions of the men have been sent broadcast over the country

Pore's condition yesterday was such as to give his friends some hope of recovery Last night however he began to grow perceptibly weaker and then it was known he could not recover Shortly after 8 this morning death relieved his suffering This afternoon Coroner Wynn of Greensburg will impanel a jury and hold an inquest A post mortem will also be held this afternoon

Pore was a man of wide popularity He had a host of warm friends all along the route of the West Penn trolley system on which he was employed as an extra motorman Superintendent F W Brown of the West Penn railways said this morning that Pore was one of the most even tempered men he had ever come across He was a handsome fellow six feet tall broad shouldered and of a sunny disposition About a month ago he came to Connellsville and resigned stating to Mr Brown that he wanted to quit in the right manner since he might want to come back to the West Penn again He took the police job at Mt Pleasant because he would always at home on it and the pay was better The funeral will likely be held Monday afternoon

Young Lindsay has been a wild youth He frequently got in trouble while he lived in Fayette county and has been mixed up in a number of escapades At one time he lived at Footer and is well known there

### WANTS NEW TRIAL.

Depositions of New Testimony Filed for Wilbur Minney

Uniontown April 7—Attorneys Hopwood Morrow & Carroll have filed depositions of subsequent testimony in the case of Wilbur Minney convicted for the murder of Anna Derry at Bellevernon in the summer of 1905 The testimony is expected to disprove the commonwealth's contention that Minney was outside the house when he fired the shot at the woman with whom he was living also that the alleged 18 months old child referred to by witnesses during the trial was in Uniontown while the case was on It was brought to the house of Mrs Annie Plummer on October 16 1905, who testified that there were three wounds on its head one only a day or so old and two not more than two weeks old This the defendant's attorneys claim disproves the inference by the prosecution that the child was in Mrs Derry's arms when the shot was fired and received cuts on the head

On these grounds a new trial is asked

Big Fire at Waynesburg

Grossman Bros building in Waynesburg was destroyed by fire last night The loss is $8,000 The origin of the fire is unknown

Uniontown High School Team

The Uniontown High School boys have organized a baseball team.

### DROWNED IN CREEK.

Mrs Mattie Collins Took Her Life Because of Illness

Mrs Mattie Collins committed suicide between four and five o'clock Friday morning by drowning herself in the creek near her home at Yauger Hollow The body was found by her husband just above a dam in the creek but her life was extinct

Just after four o'clock Friday morning Joseph Collins left his home at Yauger Hollow and went to get a neighbor woman to come and get part breakfast for him because his wife was sick He left his wife in her room talking to a neighbor woman in preparing the morning meal supposing all the time that his wife was in her room asleep When he entered the room some time later he found it empty A search revealed the dead body of his wife in the creek nearby She was clad only in her night clothes

Mrs Collins had been ill all winter She was 60 years old and a daughter of John Collins of Spring Hill Township

### ACCIDENT IN WOODS

Andrew Zebley Killed Wednesday by Falling Tree in Mountain

Perry April 7 Andrew Zebley of Green Briar died Wednesday morning at his home in Hillsboro from injuries received while felling timber in the mountains near his home Deceased was 60 years of age and is survived by a family of grown children The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at the Green Briar M E Church The funeral was delayed several hours owing to the bad condition of the mountain roads Interment at the Burkhorn of Dunbar had charge of the funeral

### GUN CLUB MEETS.

Plans Discussed for Summer Shoots at a Meeting Held in New Haven Friday Evening

A meeting of the New Haven Gun Club was held last night in the office of Cooper Frederick and plans for the summer shoots were discussed Owing to the inclement weather many of the members of the club could not be present so the plan was not fully decided upon the committee however will draw up a schedule of grounds in Greenwood for next month It will likely be merely a club affair If the weather permits on Saturday afternoon is usually of every holiday by a majority of the members

The club has plans under way for the erection of a small club house on the grounds and in the near future of the club the plans will be discussed and the question of building will take place immediately The plans in contemplation by the members is that a structure of simple design be erected and not go to costly character

A tournament shooting match in which crack shots from Uniontown Greensburg Scottdale and other towns will take part is also contemplated within a few weeks A number of the members now practice on the ground several days a week

### THE TROUT SEASON

The 15th Set by Law But It Is Sunday This Year

The State Fish Commissioner of Harrisburg has issued the following warning to fishermen

The trout season is fixed by law to open on April 17th This date this year falls upon Sunday The season therefore will not open until the next day Monday April 16th Anyone caught fishing upon Sunday will not be prosecuted for fishing on Sunday but for having in his possession fish caught out of season

The penalty for fishing on Sunday is a fine of $25 The penalty for catching fish out of season is $3 0 per fish

Noon Weather Bulletin

Partly cloudy and warmer tonight Sunday showers Sunday warmer is the noon weather bulletin

### THREE NEW PATIENTS

Brought to the Cottage State Hospital as the Result of Accidents on Friday.

Three patients were brought to the hospital last evening one from Vanderbilt a seven year old boy who was injured in the mines He has several slight wounds and bruises about the body

Charles Perrie of Dunbar was brought in with a broken leg which he received in the mines at that place

Joseph Clark from the vicinity of Bridgewell had his hand badly scored and two of his fingers amputated He met with the accident at Bridgewell lumber mill where his hand was caught in a circular saw He returned to his home after receiving treatment at the hospital.

### MILK TESTS SAVE LIVES OF INFANTS.

However Board of Health Wants Better Grade Than Supplied

### DURING THE SUMMER OF 1905.

Member Thinks Dairymen Who Do Not Bring Their Milk Up to the Standard Should Have Odium of Publicity Attached in Reports Made by the Health Officer

The lives of many infants were saved last summer by the improvements and that was formerly the mortality among infants was so much greater than it is now is the belief of Health and Dr H F Miller City Health Officer the latter case is different with milk lives could not be saved no matter how much care was taken to feed them milk

Some of the milk samples taken by the Pittsburg Commission with a similar object in view The latter case is different with milk lives could not be saved no matter how much care was taken to feed them milk

### SUPEPIOR COURT MONDAY

Spring Term Opens Next Week With Very Light Calendar

The Superior Court will open in Washington on Monday morning with the light calendar it has had for many years It will sit all of April May June and July Allegheny county will be heard April 16 Fayette Washington and Westmoreland counties April 23 Allegheny Clarion Jefferson Indiana Jefferson and Somerset counties May 14 Armstrong Beaver Butler Lawrence and Mercer counties May 21 Crawford Erie Forest and Warren counties

### A MILK COMBINE.

Scottdale Threatened With a Raise in Price on Supply With Run of Can Eight Cents.

Scottdale April 7 The dairymen of this town and vicinity met today and formed a combine to raise the price of milk the same to every family in the town Whether or not the milk will rise in the fall is one question but it is certain that the price will rise is certain as the milk is up in the cans

The tariff on the cans is to be increased and from now on the custom is to make the price for milk in the cans 6 cents during the summer the new rate going into effect on May 1 This year according to the terms the milk will be delivered in the price is will at 8 cents

The milk producers say that they will be straight unwatered milk to the dairymen when delivered The milk sellers are with equal vehemence that they do not dilute the milk The people who use the milk say that the quality is weak Milk is not old enough to be tested

In the meantime rumor of the strike meetings has put a good many people in the mind of having private cows to the young lads of the town fly driving of the cow to and from pasture and the milking of a fresh cow will probably take the place of the physical culture that the schools do not afford

Some people optimistic by claim that they think if the dairymen will put on cream in the warm there will be no need on almost any increase in price

### CAMBRIDGE VICTORIOUS.

Defeated Oxford In Boat Race for Twenty Eighth Time

London April 7 [Special]—Cambridge won her twenty eighth victory in the annual boat race with Oxford today defeating the crew of the latter by three and one half lengths The official time was nineteen minutes and twenty six seconds Cambridge has now a victory for Cambridge for most fitting in excellent shape The Oxford crew were greatly distressed however four men collapsing at the finish Their crew was found in the most favorable condition

### DUSTY LOST HIS GRIP

On the Water Wagon and Now Burgess A. D. Soisson May Have to Pay the Fine He Imposed.

Burgess A D Soisson this morning had before him J B Coston better known as Dusty about the hotel Manetta where he is a porter Dusty was on the wagon for almost a year but he lost his grip and fell from the good three weeks ago since which time he has been in the booze business This morning he wound up in police court as an frequent works for Burgess Soisson but this did not cool him from fining him $ 50 The Burgess was under the impression that he would have to pay the fine as soon as Dusty recovered sufficiently to be released from his cell

Harry Best and Charlie Stone were arrested yesterday Stone acquitted Dusty just that hour before Best's ship sank with all on board They were given 18 hours.

### MONEY FOR SCHOOLS.

River Coal Co Holds $100 Apiece From Foreigners.

The River Coal Company at the Brickyard in Bridgeport has partially solved the school funding so far as the foreign born unnaturalized residents are concerned

The problem of caring for children of school age in numerous coal towns has been a bugbear to the school and so little has come in the way of revenue from the company Recently however Mr W Stewart manager of River Mine Notified Tax Collector Cooper and the School Board the company decided to receive the total tax for each foreign miner no matter what or if he is married and with his tax levy $ 50 was handed over to the collector for school purposes

Negotiations were with the Pittsburg Coal company with a similar outlay The latter case is different with mines employing foreigners and it will not be known how many in the borough

### A FINE RESIDENCE.

J B. Hogg Lets Contract for $10,000 Home on Mill's Road

J B Hogg has let the contract for a $10,000 residence to be erected along Mills road Angle iron in the new Hogg addition to Connellsville Fourth Ward on Seventh South Connellsville Land Company was awarded the contract and Dr Gibbs will do the brick work on the building Owing to the fact that the carpenters are now on a strike it is possible that the building of the residence will be delayed for some time Although the work on the foundation will be begun next week

The residence will be one of the finest in Connellsville and will be among the first to go up in the new addition The location of the residence is one of the prettiest in the city

### LIKE DUQUESNE WRECK.

Connection on Main Line West of Cumberland in Smashup Similar to the Laurel Run Disaster.

Cumberland Md April 7—The wreck on the Duquesne connection on the main line of Baltimore & Ohio railroad was worse than at first supposed Two men were killed on the spot and two others died later in the hospital making four in all The injured number about a dozen

The Dead

George W Riley aged 5 of Keyser W Va engineer of the passenger train

The Injured

Baggagemaster Kemmel of the passenger train

Freight Conductor Sheetz of West Home Ohio

Swanton is a station 41 miles west of Cumberland on the main line and half way up the long uphill pull to the top of Big Savage Mountain Westbound the train was bound with an extra engine behind Near the Swanton station on the last two cars of the train were derailed falling over on the east bound track and hanging there right engine with them the crew escaping by jumping as the train and engine left the track

The train crew had a narrow escape from being crushed under the wreck the passenger being cut in two by the giant Rile which weighs 100 tons the wreck which instantly killed the firemen escaped by jumping and the post office car escaped with a shaking up

### GUARD PROMOTION

Colonel Dougherty Is Likely to Succeed General Gobin

Harrisburg April 7—[Special]—It is understood here that the announcement of the appointment of Colonel C B Dougherty of the Ninth regiment Wilkesbarre to be Brigadier General of the First Brigade State Guard to succeed General Gobin promoted to be Major General will be announced next week Dougherty is Senior Colonel in the brigade He has been a member of the Guard for years

Will Be Operated on Today

Neil J Shaw employed in machinery at the local B & O shops was taken to the Mercy Hospital at Pittsburg on Thursday morning where he will be operated on today Although the cause of his illness is not definitely known it is thought his local physicians Dr Grant Mr Shaw was accompanied by his wife and Mr Isaac C Shaw and Mr Cook Dr Grant and Mr Neil Shaw

Explosion Kills Two

Vienna Austria April 7 [special] A terrible explosion took place at a water tank in Cross Vienna Twenty five killed in the ruins twenty five now killed twenty were in the tank the others badly burned

Want Vacancy Filled

P W Duhaliff and Y H Lee of Connellsville representatives of Salt Company have filed a petition requesting the court to appoint Hamilton Berg to fill the vacancy from Indiana on the board

J W Brown Buys Lot

J W Brown bought of Robert Nutt a lot on Race street South Side on which he expects to erect a residence

### VERDICT FOR DUNBAR FURNACE COMPANY.

Court Directed the Jury to Bring in That Finding at Conclusion of Testimony at Noon Today.

### OTHER CASES MAY NOT BE TRIED

Stories of Witnesses, Some of Whom Were in the Explosion at Ferguson Mine in 903 Heard—Physicians Who Treated Victims of the Disaster Also on the Stand—Notes of Court.

Uniontown April 7—At the conclusion of testimony in the damage suit of Mrs Mary McGurk against the Dunbar Furnace Company at noon today Judge Umbel directed the jury to bring in a verdict for the defendant company A conference of attorneys was held just before the verdict was brought in and it is stated that a compromise has been agreed upon, including the other nine cases against the company

The best part of Thursday afternoon before Judge Umbel was taken up by the examination of Frederick Longdon, who proved to be one of the strongest witnesses for the prosecution Longdon was working in the Ferguson mine at the time of the explosion The witness was employed in the pit about two months before the explosion occurred He stated positively that no brattices had been constructed in the mine following the burning Hill Farm slope until some weeks after he came there This brattice was built the evening following November 10 1903 when the men had dug through into the burning mine Longdon stated that he was on hand examined the opening which had been dug through and saw smoke issuing from it The next evening, the witness was on the day turn, the brattice was built about a dozen feet from the opening The witness stated that the men entered the mine by going down the slope The reason that the man way was used was because there were obstructions in making it necessary for the men to crawl some distance before they could enter the mine The man way was originally intended for the men to use in entering and leaving the mine Longdon stated that he frequently saw gas in other mines where he worked His recollection of the explosion was merely seeing a mass of flames approaching him from behind He attempted to drop down, but the explosion knocked him unconscious When he revived he crawled up the slope until he came to John McGurk The two remained together until the rescue party came and took them out by crawling over the demolished woodwork in the man way Longdon said that there were no stretchers or blankets when they came out and the only bandages oils and medicines he saw were those furnished by the doctors Longdon testified that there was never any examination of the mine made before the night shift went on during the time he worked in the mine A Cahoun was fire boss, and Robert Nelson pit boss

Dr Colley of Dunbar stated that he treated a couple of men in their houses not far from the mine He brought his own materials from the drug store and when he so showed signs of being exhausted he sent to Dunbar for more The furnace company paid the bill for the goods

Former Mine Inspector Bernard Callaghan of Connellsville took the witness stand this morning Mr Callaghan said that he and several other mine inspector examined Ferguson mine on the Monday following the explosion but were unable to say exactly what caused the explosion In their opinion it resulted from the fire in the adjoining Hill Farm mine Mr Callaghan stated that he had never in the opening which had accident this been in the burning mine but he examined the brattice that was subsequently erected He testified that the Ferguson mine was opened by him in June previous to the explosion but subsequently turned operation I G Boldy who was in charge of the mine with Callaghan testified

Dr Hice assistant surgeon of Dunbar testified in regard to the treatment of McGurk after he was found in the mine Dr Hice stated that he asked for bandages and medicines and while these were promised he was compelled to use his own supplies which were very limited Handkerchiefs were used for bandages and after United victim of McGurk was taken home wrapped in blankets which one of his boys had brought from home

McGurk was treated in the lamp house by Dr Hice said that after putting the injured man in the buggy to be taken home he went to the blacksmith shop some distance away, where he found plenty of materials

Dr H J Coll also gave professional testimony on McGurk's condition, and other matters.

### COUNTERFEIT DOLLARS.

Silver Coins of Bad Make Have Recently Been in Circulation—Colonial Ticket Seller Gets One.

Counterfeit dollars and half dollars have been in circulation about town and some of them have been since fully passed The Colonial Theatre received one half dollar counterfeit last night and the ticket seller discovered it in the act of passing it off on a patron The coin was taken from the ticket office window and the person who passed it is not known

The dollars of the date of 1901 and is of a character of high grade that the detection is easily possible It seems to be of the best counterfeit but the stamping is clear and almost perfect.

# IN SOCIAL CIRCLES.

### Church and Other Events In Town. Class Day Exercises

The recitation room of the Connellsville High school was filled to its utmost capacity Friday afternoon with friends and patrons of the school, who were present to listen to a most interesting program carried out by the class the event being their annual class day exercises While the class is composed of 60 members only 20 participated in the program The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion, palms and ferns used in profusion The program was opened with a well rendered piano solo by Miss Bessie Martin Declamations by Miss Mae Gilmore Eugene Bishop Lena Hazel Harold Clasper Morris Mitchell Roger Evans Lucie Cecil and Helen Goldsmith and Fidelia Rhinehart brought forth much applause Harold McCarthy the class optimist, pictured the bright and pleasant part of school life while J R Davidson the class pessimist pictured the unpleasant sides of school life A parody by Miss Bessie Clingan was one of the amusing features of the program A piano duet by Miss Margaret Snyder and Miss Gertrude McHugh was well received by the audience James Wingrove delivered an oration which was well deserving of the applause received

The periodical by Robert Morton showed very careful preparation Miss Florence Goldsmith favored the audience with a very pleasant vocal solo The program as a whole was an excellent one

### Epworth League Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church was held Friday evening at the home of Miss Elsie Hubbert at South Connellsville The attendance was exceptionally large over 60 members being present The usual routine business was transacted after which a dainty luncheon was served The League decided to hold a sunrise meeting in the church Easter morning Sunday April 15

### Mrs Wright Entertains

Mr and Mrs A T Wright entertained at cards Friday evening at their home on South Pittsburg street 500 was the game played Four tables of cards were in use until late hour when a prettily appointed luncheon was served The out of town guests present were Mr and Mrs Henry Sharp and two sons of Buckhannon W Va

### Farther Light Society

The regular monthly meeting of the Farther Light Society of the First Baptist Church was held Friday evening at the home of Mrs W S Kroeger on Race street Papers were read by Miss Laura Rumage Miss Anna Mary Moser and Miss Gertrude Bidle The attendance was large and the meeting was a most interesting one

# LISTON RELEASED.

### Testimony at Habeas Corpus Proceedings at Oakland, Md., Was That He Shot in Self Defense.

The Garrett Journal of Oakland Md., contains the following account of the habeas corpus proceedings in United at Oakland the county seat of Garrett county for the release of Policeman Charles H Liston who shot Lupton Frantz at Friendsville three weeks ago and from which wound he died at the Conlee State Hospital

Policeman Charles H Liston of Friendsville this county charged with killing Lupton Frantz at Friendsville on March 31 and who was confined in jail at this place was taken out on a habeas corpus proceedings instituted by his attorneys Thos J Peddicord and G S Harnett on Friday after a hearing before Judge Henderson

The testimony given before the court on the part of the State and for the defense was about as follows

Mr Collier the first witness called testified that Frantz came to his hotel in Friendsville in an intoxicated condition on the night of the shooting and was very boisterous and made several threats against Liston and others He was armed with a revolver and a razor both of which he exhibited at times while in the bar room Liston entered the bar room to call Mr Collier to his supper when he met Frantz who invited him to take a drink Liston refused him and Frantz insisted at the same time called Liston some very bad names and showed a threatening attitude toward him Liston finally began to abuse Frantz in a threatening manner and Liston made every effort to quiet the angry man and finally Frantz attempted to get a revolver from his pocket when Liston who was armed drew his pistol and fired the fatal shot Frantz was then taken to his home by Mr Collier and his bartender Russell Friend

Russell Friend was the second witness examined for the defense and corroborated the testimony given by Collier Frantz had given his revolver to Friend on the way to his home and Friend threw it away and afterward went after it and picked it up

Ex Sheriff E J Frantz an uncle of Lupton Frantz on the part of the State testified that Constable Liston had stopped at his hotel while in Oakland during the week before the murder and in the course of some remarks to the Sheriff stated that Lupton Frantz was carrying on badly at Friendsville and if Lupton did not let him alone he would kill him

L L Houck of Friendsville and Miss Fox who had sold Frantz the cartridges for his pistol on the day of the murder and whose testimony was very damaging to Frantz corroborated that of the former witnesses and the case was given to the Judge who at once placed the bail at $2 500 R J Frazee, C L Dean, W D Collier R R Liston of Friendsville and H C Sincell and Austin Brown of Oakland became bondsmen for the appearance of Liston before the next term of the circuit

Policeman Liston upon his release was warmly greeted by his many friends from all sections of the county, who had assembled to hear the testimony

# THE GRIM REAPER.

### Deaths of Two Towns and Vicinity. Mrs Anna Coughanour

Deceased was a daughter of the late Hiram and Jane Kinnison and was born near Fairchance, December 5 1843 She was twice married At the age of 16 years she was married to David Smith of Smithfield Soon after their marriage they left for Kansas After the death of her first husband which occurred about 28 years ago while in Kansas Mrs Coughanour came to Connellsville where she resided up until the time of her death About eight years after the death of her first husband she was married to David Coughanour a well known resident of Connellsville

Deceased has been ailing for the past year During her illness she was able to be about up until Wednesday night about 11 o clock when she suffered a stroke of paralysis resulting in her death She was a member of the South Side Baptist Church being one of the most active workers during her earlier life

Her husband and two children to the first marriage survive Mrs J H Dills Smithfield Pa, and Mrs Charles Weihe of town Rudolph Koontz of Uniontown a half brother and Mrs Louis Buttermore of Indian Creek a half sister also survive

Mrs Anna M Coughanour aged 6 years one of the best known residents of Connellsville died Friday afternoon at four o clock at her late residence No 701 North Pittsburg street The body was taken to the home of her daughter Mrs Charles Weihe No 104 East Francis avenue from which place the funeral will take place Monday afternoon at 2 o clock Interment in Hill Grove Cemetery

### Two Funerals

The funeral of the late Patrick Mullican of Pittsburg took place this morning at 8 30 o clock from the residence of his sister Mrs Eugene O Donovan on Mars street New Haven Requiem High Mass was celebrated at 9 o clock at the Immaculate Conception Church Rev J P Burns being the celebrant The attendance was very large Interment in St Joseph's cemetery

The funeral services of the late Thomas Graham which took place Friday afternoon at 2 o clock from his late residence in Dunbar township were largely attended Rev J S Reed pastor of the Dunbar Hill Presbyterian Church officiating The interment took place at Dunbar Hill cemetery

# GALLATIN HOTEL CASE.

### Defendants' Attorneys File Many Reasons for a New Trial

Uniontown April 7 —Many reasons are given for granting a new trial in the case of Taylor Brothers against Sample & Marshall The defendants claim that the jury did not give proper consideration to the testimony of their witnesses who were experts also that the plaintiffs did not mention in their statement of claim that the foundation of the Gallatin Hotel building was defective and the court erred in further instructing the jury in regard to the foundation which this matter was not referred to in the plaintiffs statement of claim Misconduct is charged to one of the plaintiffs and his counsel while the jury was investigating the building by indicating that the imperfect finish of the painting was due to the sinking foundation This being the same as other testimony by a witness not under oath and not in presence of the court

The plaintiffs attorney is said to have erred in recording during his argument to the jury to the effect that there was no testimony given in regard to this matter

### Boxing Contest

A boxing contest is to be held at the Cavety Theatre on Wednesday evening April 18 The chief match is between Andy Lamber of Monessen and Glen Miller of Bridgeport Both are in the middle weight class Lamber is the fourth son of the best known boxers about Pittsburg Miller has never been beaten

### Ball Team Passes Through

H G Young J D Cronin F C Ely R P Stifelier W C Boylin F N Walters C S Latham members of the West Virginia University baseball team were registered at the Yough House Friday They were on their return home from the South where they played ten games

### Deal for Residence Property.

Hermon O Weaver closed a deal Friday with E E Searle for the residence property at the corner of Murphy avenue and South Pittsburg street The deal was closed through Daniel Mutts The property is a modern nine room dwelling house

### A Forbidden City

Isaac H Burlew a peddler of Uniontown has twice been arrested and fined $5 for passing in the town of Rey Rey a tow town owned by the W J Rainey company For refusing to pay the first fine Burlew spent five days in jail

### Typhoid Epidemic at Pittsburg

Pittsburg April 7—(Special) Seventy three new cases of typhoid fever were reported in the twenty four hours ending at noon today They are widely scattered throughout the city

# SMITHFIELD.

### Chatty Letter from the Metropolis of Georges Township

Smithfield April 7—W. I Stewart of Point Marion was a business visitor yesterday evening.

Prof F R House went to Point Marion on No 50 yesterday and returned on 51

T R Delaney, District Deputy Grand Master of Masons of Fayette county with headquarters at Uniontown was in town yesterday

John H Campbell showed his familiar face in the borough and was calling on our merchants yesterday evening Johnny has just returned from a trip to the lead and zinc mining country in Indian Territory just across the line from Baxter Springs Kansas He speaks in glowing terms of the country and the opportunities of realizing big dividends from investments in the lead and zinc mines that are being developed there He took 25 shares of stock in a company that has just begun operations

The funeral of Alvin D Anderson who was killed at River View works near Uniontown as noted before in The Courier, will be held at Mt Moriah Baptist church of Smithfield on Sunday, April 8 at 11 o clock a m Services conducted by Rev J W Hays the pastor Interment in the Baptist cemetery of this place Alvin D Anderson was the third son of the late John K and Lydia M Anderson of Anderson's Cross Roads

The Borough Council held a special session last night for the purpose of determining the amount of money needed for the expenses of the borough the coming year The Street Committee recommended macadamizing the streets with crushed limestone a thousand feet this year and a like amount each year until the streets are all macadamized They estimated the cost of a thousand feet to be $700 giving a road bed 18 feet wide with 12 inches of stone in the center running to 6 inches at the edges The total estimates for all expenses was $1 600 They put the mileage to raise this amount and for interest on present indebtedness and put in sinking fund one hundred dollars at 6 mills

Johnny Bowers of Cheat Haven was the first arrival to the Sunday school convention this morning coming down on No 1, which arrives here at 6 15 a m

The Misses Jennie and Emma Staggs will hold a reception at the home on Higbhouse street Friday April 11 8 p m in honor of their guest Miss Helen A Betts of Fairchance Pa.

# STRIKE SETTLEMENT

### Locked For Between Miners and Operators Next Week

New York April 7—(Special)—Representatives of the anthracite coal roads and independent coal companies will meet here in secret conference today to give final consideration to President Mitchell's proposition of arbitration of the differences in the anthracite mining industry and to draft a reply for presentation at the joint meeting of the operators and miners Monday The great care both sides are taking to avert offending public opinion is the highest hope that there will be found a solution of this industrial problem

A dispatch from Shamokin says the Pennsylvania railroad employes who were laid off last week owing to the suspension were ordered to report for duty next Monday This encourages the belief generally that the operators intend coming to some satisfactory conclusion with the miners next week

### Russian Governor Assassinated

St Petersburg April 7—(Special)—Governor Slepoff of Tver Russia was assassinated this afternoon

A bomb was thrown directly into the Governor's carriage killing him to pieces A coachman also was injured The perpetrator, a man name unknown, was arrested

### Babes in Toyland

Babes in Toyland delighted a well filled house at the Colonial Theatre last night The scenery was very charming and delightful to the eye The chorus could sing as well as the principals It was one of the best shows of the season

### Was a Heavy Cost Bill

The plaintiffs cost bill of $70 26 has been filed in the case of Mrs Elliot H Speers against Constable Cunningham et Murdersville This is but one item of the whole cost of the suit which was originally started over a $6 67 cost bill

### Pirates Rob Missionaries

Hong Kong April 7—(Special)—Three passenger boats were held up by pirates fourteen miles from Sinhing City and robbed Among the victims it is reported are American missionaries who lost all their possessions

### A Verdict for Costs.

In the case of Louis Costa of Perryopolis against W C McCormick for the value of three cords of crushing stone shipped by the defendant Costa was awarded $31 07 by a jury at Uniontown on Friday afternoon

### Vesuvius Strikes Terror

Naples April 7—(Special)—Continued flow of lava and increasing activity of Mount Vesuvius has greatly alarmed the inhabitants and the whole country is practically panic stricken

### Paula Edwardes Goes to Belasco

Paula Edwardes in the Princess Beggar goes to the Belasco Theatre Pittsburg for a week's engagement following her appearance at the Colonial Theatre here

### Classified Ads

Try our classified ads One cent a word They bring results.


# Mace & Company

*The Big Store.*

# $1.50

# Big Shirtwaist Bargain

We cleaned up the balance of several hundred dozen shirt waists of this Spring's patterns from a big eastern manufacturer a few days ago and by taking the entire lot we secured a great bargain which we're going to give to our patrons until we have disposed of every one, at a price that would hardly pay for the material in them.

There are twelve different patterns in this line including lawn waists, Persian lawn waists, Paris muslin waists, some lace fronts, some embroidery fronts, some pin tucked, very mannish and others trimmed in various styles. These waists should sell for $2.00 and $2.25 and are bargains at that price.

# $1.50

## Children's Box Coats

Very nicely made box coats for children from 4 to to 10 years old. Made of good covert cloth and plaid mixtures, trimmed with pan velvet and neatly strapped and buttoned effects. Exceptionally well made neat fitting. From $1.50 we have coats for children up to $6 50

### Three-Quarter Length Coats

for children from 6 to 14 years old in covert cloth and plaid mixtures also coats of this length in red, blue and grey. Empire styles, neatly fitted over the shoulders, trimmed with strips and buttons. This line is truly a very pretty one. The prices run from from $3 98 to $8 50

# $5.98

## Ladies' Black Silk Coats

### A SPECIAL BARGAIN

Fine taffeta silk coats 27 inches long, handsomely trimmed with braid and lace, the very latest models and a coat that you will be proud of. This is a real $8 98 value. Visit our suit department today and make a close inspection of these garments. You will want one.

### Another Silk Coat Bargain

Black chiffon taffeta coats 30 inches long, braid trimmed, box pleated and very prettily trimmed with lace at $10 98. This coat is a regular $15 garment.

Others in applique, peau de soie and chiffon taffeta, finely trimmed with braid and lace from $12.50 running up to $23.50


# CONFLUENCE.

### Interesting Items From Somerset County's Hustling Town.

Confluence April 6—Taylor Kemp with his daughter Mrs E J Kline of Meyersdale are visiting at J C Shows While there they took in the commencement exercises in which a daughter and niece Miss Gertrude Show being graduates

Mrs H M Kephart and Mrs P J Adams came up from Connellsville Friday

B E King of Brinkstown the lumber dealer was in Confluence Friday looking after business

D M Coleman a farmer of Lower Turkeyfoot township was in town today

J A Pullin postmaster is confined to his house with a bad case of grip

M H Gardner is getting a fine new sign made Rev Black is doing the work

Miss Elsie J Berg is home from a trip to Connellsville While there she was the guest of J W McClaren

Charley Little of Henry Clay township was a business caller in Confluence Friday

W A De Corse clerk operator at Rockwood stopped off here with his parents Squire and Mrs C P De Corse on his way back from Connellsville where he spent a portion in the superintendents office in the near future

Squire C P De Corse was here attending business in Somerfield yesterday

Miss Amanda Chidester is visiting at Somerfield

Squire C P De Corse kept quite busy since he has moved down town

It snowed some here in town today

Clouse Bros contractors have completed the new stable for N H Crow in West Confluence

Howard Conway was over in town today

S P Tadrow of New Lexington was in town today overseeing the repairs on the Globe Hotel which is undergoing a renovation

C S Yoakum the lumberman was in town today looking after some business matters

James Liston of Maple Summit was seen on our streets today

The Town Council has advertised for applications to fill the position of watchman

I N Bowlin of Henry Clay was a shopper in town today and while here called and bought a Courier

Miss Lillie Sipe left today for Johnstown to visit friends and will be absent several days

Ray Reiger of Bidwell was a caller yesterday

Jasper Paine Hall has started to work again for V M Black

Mary Pringle who had the measles took a bad set and is in the sick list again

Born to Mr and Mrs Custrie Walters a fine 10 pound baby boy, on April 5

C W Wilson of Dub Run was a business caller in town today

Mrs Thomas Kelly and children left Thursday with her children to join her husband in Winchester Va

There was quite a bit of excitement here this morning by the discovery of the McNair's buggy being seen in the Youghiogheny river opposite Charleston The horse got loose and it was supposed McNair was drowned, as he could not be found About nine o clock he was discovered by the side of a tree near the ford He had been there all night

The commencement exercises of the High School Confluence Pa were held in the opera house Thursday night The program was Class song, invocation Rev Charles Worth piano solo Hungarian Dance Liszt M C L Maria Schaub salutatory Jennie Gertrude Show recitation The Man Who Wins is the Man Who Begins Rev W H Wilson Allie A Beam, Oration Napoleon Bernard S Johnson solo The Lost Chord Sullivan M A Bowman historian Clara B Coughenour oration Poetry Mary Kathleen Rush vocal solo Rosary Nevin, M A Bowman pessimist Elliott J Boyers optimist Mabel Shank piano solo Prestidigitation Beethoven Mr Curtis Martin Schaub oration Azaleas Albert G Black class prophecy Edith Mae Show recitation Oil Bills Christmas Mabel L Beard vocal solo Oh Promise Me De Koven M A Bowman class poem Ernest J McDonald valedictorian Louisa Elizabeth Lincoln class address, Rev Morrison vocal solo Sing Me to Sleep Greene M A Bowman presentation of diplomas D W S Mountain


# Easter FLOWERS

Easter Lillies Azaleas, Hyacinths Tulips Daffodills, Palms Ferns, and all other potted plants

ROSES, CARNATIONS
SWEET PEAS and VIOLETS

I can furnish you any amount of the above Easter flowers either potted or cut at reasonable prices.

Growers in time for delivery

## Geo. Shomer

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BOTH PHONES



# F. & F.

## Fashionable Easter Garments

The choice styles and colorings at prices that are most reasonable. Our showing of Spring Garments for Women, Misses and Children is now complete. It is a good time to make selections.

### Spring Suits

A bright assortment that includes everything new in style, coloring and fabric. Here is a great suit offering. An all-wool Eton Panama Suit in black, navy, light or medium gray, Alice blue, reseda green or old rose Jacket is nicely trimmed with braid. Skirt is new circular shape, folds on bottom A very special value Worth $20 00 for **$15.00**

Especially fine line of suits at $20 and $25 00.

### Spring Millinery

NOW READY.

We bring to you this spring a collection of Millinery not surpassed by any for style. Every model has the stamp of Paris modified to conform to American ideas We want you to come and see them Prices ranging from $2 00 up to **$15.00**

### Spring Jackets

Covert Cloths, Broadcloths and Fancy Mixtures in tight fitting, loose back, English box and pony styles. A great variety. A special for girls is a carefully tailored jacket, made for girls from 14 to 18 years of age. Plenty of style in a good serviceable fabric makes this a great offer. Worth $7 at . **$5.00**

Our Jacket line ranges in price from $3.98 to $16 50.

### Shirt Waists

We have most anything that you may want Lawns, Lingerie Lace or Silks

Long or short sleeves Lingerie Waists, lace or embroidery trimmed Twenty five styles at these prices to select from. $1.00 to . . **$1.50**

Dozens of styles from $1 50 to $5 00.

# FEATHERMAN & FRANK

136 N. Pittsburg Street, Connellsville, Pa.

# THE NEW PROGRAM.

## A Modern Commencement Will Be Held by West Newton Schools

## ON THE MILL TOWN'S PLAN.

### Took Advantage of the Seniors' Idea Which Was Killed There for the Old Fashioned Way by Action of the Directors.

West Newton April 7—The West Newton schools have decided to follow the recent plan as set forth by the pupils of the Scottdale High School who petitioned for an original program and a cutting out of the ancient order of essays and orations. The West Newton directors unlike the nine Scottdale directors who favored the program and were later defeated in their plans by the seven remaining directors took up the entire plan as being a good one as was then commented upon by the newspapers generally.

Believing that a commencement should be bright and entertaining the West Newton schools have departed from the old traditions and introduce some new features. One of them will be a debate. The pupils with the aid of the teachers have collected from the best sources a mass of definite information. The arguments have been marshalled in such a skilful way as to frame a spirited contest and one worth hearing. In another particular custom has been departed from. There are several members of the class who are proficient in music and these will furnish that part of the entertainment.

The following are the names of the graduates: Ida E. Strobel, Mary Bibel, Hamilton, Ella W. Scott, Christena A. Nash, Lilien M. Brundage, Hettie Margery Timms, Wynona Rae Davis, Edna A. Newmin, Curtis Renick, Emily McClure, Laura Belle Weaver, Nellie M. H. Swauger, Lyle Cochenour, John P. Fleming, Wilfred Crouishore, Harry McMillen, Abe R. Goodman, George J. Maeder. Lyle Cochenour has taken first honor and Wilfred Crouishore second.

## ROCKWOOD

### Bright Paragraphs from the Big Somerset County Borough.

Rockwood Pa. April 7—Mr. W. W. Kipp and son James who were spending several days among friends and relatives in Hyndman returned to this place on Wednesday. The former Kipp is at present making his home at Wilson creek with his brother Percy where they are both engaged in mining coal.

Mr. M. B. Younkin who some time ago purchased a mercantile establishment near Hundesville has announced that he will sell his personal property on April 10th 1906 at the farm which he now occupies and will then go to Hundesville to take care of his business. Mr. Garfield Leshe who we reported several days ago as having moved into the old Strickoff property in town has rented the farm and has moved thereon.

Services will be held in the Reformed church every night next week with the exception of Monday night it being holy week. Rev. Charles Scheirt of the Stoystown Reformed church will occupy the pulpit on Tuesday evening. Rev. F. S. Englisht of the Stoystown Lutheran church will occupy the pulpit on Wednesday evening and Dr. A. R. Kremer of the Hyndman Reformed church will deliver the first of the series of holy week sermons tomorrow evening.

Miss Jennie Brendel Coope has on exhibition an extravagant display of hats and novelties at her millinery establishment today which is her first opening.

Mr. W. B. Frazier of Bedford representing Swift & Co. was in town yesterday.

A lodge of the Knights of Pythias will be instituted at Rockwood on Tuesday April 17. A meeting preliminary to the institution has been called for the 16th inst. to be held in the Modern Woodmen lodge room at 7:30 p. m. at which time all persons interested are requested to be present. Delegates from Johnstown, Connellsville, Hyndman, Bedford and all lodges in the county will be present at the institution of the local Pythian organization which has been christened Unique lodge and will be auspicious launched with a charter membership of twenty five. A well drilled degree team will exemplify the initiatory work which will be under the command of District Deputy V. R. Saylor of Somerset. The Unique lodge promises to be a sprightly youth.

Following is the report of the Rockwood public schools for the seventh and last month April 1906.

First primary, Helen Shaff teacher—Whole number enrolled 61, average attendance 51, percent of attendance 84, number perfect in attendance 21.

Second primary, Pearle Sandles teacher—Whole number enrolled 46, average attendance 43, percent of attendance 94, number perfect in attendance 28.

Intermediate, Pearle Vandersloot teacher—Whole number enrolled 45, average attendance 41, percent of attendance 91, number perfect in attendance 6.

Grammar, H. H. Newmin teacher—Whole number enrolled 57, average attendance 55, percent of attendance 96, number perfect in attendance 17.

High school, O. O. Saylor principal—Whole number enrolled 18, average attendance 18, percent of attendance, 100, number perfect in attendance 15.

Summary—Whole number enrolled 197, average attendance 185, percent of attendance 95, number perfect in attendance for entire term of school 6.

The following services will be observed in the different churches in town tomorrow:

Lutheran church, Rev. Chas. H. Day, pastor—Sunday school 9:30 a. m., preaching 10:30 a. m. Text, Coming of the King. Luther League 6:15 p. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. Text, Fire Word From the Cross.

Reformed church, Rev. W. H. Landis pastor—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor 6:45 p. m. preaching at 7:30 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. S. S. Pancoast pastor—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Epworth League 6:30 p. m.

United Brethren church, Rev. W. H. Blackburn pastor—Sunday school 9:30 a. m., preaching 6:00 p. m.

United Evangelical church, Rev. S. M. Cousler pastor—Sunday school 9:30 a. m., preaching 10:30 a. m., prayer meeting 2 p. m., Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.

Rev. C. H. Day will administer the holy communion at Stanton's church at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow.

Rev. W. H. Landis will preach at New Centreville at 10:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Rev. W. H. Blackburn will preach at Mt. Union church at 10:30 a. m. and at Mt. Zion church at 2 p. m. tomorrow.

Miss Bertha Schlag who had been here for several days assisting her sister Mrs. C. R. B. Cramer fix up her house has returned to the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schlag near Belleville.

Mrs. Wm. Wadsworth and daughter Eleanor left yesterday for a few days visit among friends and relatives in Connellsville and Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Katie Snyder is assisting Mrs. Jennie Brendel Cooper in her millinery store during the Easter rush.

Mr. William Brendel who is employed by the Cambria Steel Company at Johnstown spent several days with his family here this week.

Among the numerous Rockwood visitors transacting business in Somerset were Rev. C. H. Day and D. L. Kimmel.

Mrs. W. J. Gardner is spending a few days visiting friends and relatives in Johnstown and vicinity.

## THE LAST INSTITUTE.

### East Huntingdon Township Holds It at Tarr.

Scottdale Pa. April 7—The last institute to be held this year by the teachers of East Huntingdon township is taking place today at the West Ward school house at Tarr. The following is the program: Power of Growing, Hubert Shupe; Development of Infants, Miss Anderson; What Pleases Us We Should Have in the School Room, Miss Cora Fitzgerald; recitation, Miss Eva Sloan; Work for Closing Week of School, Miss Anna Fitzgerald; A Teacher's Vacation, Miss Ramsey; recitation, Miss Welsh; Prof. W. D. Huffman address to the teachers; East Huntingdon Twenty Five Years Ago, W. M. Saunders; Future Addition, Director A. R. Jones.

## BREWING COMPANIES SIGN

### All Agree to Conduct Their Business According to Law.

In accordance with the instructions of the court on last Monday the various brewing companies throughout the county have signed and filed an agreement to comply with the laws and regulations pertaining to the conduct of their business in case the licenses sought are granted for another year.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

### Live News Notes Gathered From All Parts of the Town.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wilson of Uniontown who are visiting the Misses Roberts at Mr. and Mrs. Albert Robinson of Jumatavilla were the guests of friends in Uniontown Friday.

Mrs. Mary Snyder of Uniontown is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snyder today.

J. F. Schlabitz of Uniontown was in town Friday on business.

Saturday candy 29 cents per pound at Buck's.

Mrs. H. M. Kephart of the Yough House and Mr. P. F. Evans of the South Side were the guests of friends at Connellsville.

First class Hardware Company headquarters for fine machine oils.

Mrs. John L. Lytle of Dawson was visiting the out of town trade in town Friday.

Enclose the price for Sunshine Ointment. It is worth its weight in gold. My husband has been troubled with piles many years and had given up all hope of being cured. He cannot now say enough of your wonderful Sunshine Ointment. Mr. David McCorkle, 108 East 19th Street, Erie, Pa. All druggists, 50 cents and $1.00.

C. Moore, Connellsville.

Mrs. J. L. Slaughter Greensburg returned home Friday from a visit with friends and relatives in Pittsburg.

W. E. Tippin hill has just received a fresh supply of wall paper. Before buying come and see our line.

Mrs. T. A. Gaither of Washington street was a Connellsville visitor yesterday. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Boyle.

I am still in the insurance business. H. Little Trust and selling the choice lots in the Hogg Addition. Terms reasonable and satisfactory. O. B. Dutton, real estate.

Charles Bykate was here from Pittsburg Friday on business.

Milton and Orlando Stifler of Mill Run were in town Friday.

You had better see my line of $8 to $25 spring suits before buying. Perfect fitting and stylish. Cohen, Clothier, 209 North Pittsburg street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Christy of Uniontown were the guests of friends in town Friday.

Mrs. Wm. H. Chapman of Scottdale was shopping in town Friday.

Will suffer with your kidneys? The discovery of Kidney Pills has proved a blessing to hundreds of kidney sufferers who have been restored to perfect health. These tablets drive the disease germs out of the system and we urge all who are in need to give this scientific and successful kidney remedy a trial. 50 cent. A. A. Clarke, Connellsville, P. L. Ogden, Vanderbilt.

J. S. Allen, clerk of the Lord's Way in was calling on friends in Uniontown Friday.

Prisbee Hardware Company agents for the Oliver chilled plow.

Miss Harriet Shumaker was here from Vanderbilt Friday on a little shopping tour.

Your kidneys need health cannot be cured unless the kidneys live and do their right. Thompson's Buchu makes them right. 50c and $1.00. F. C. Moore, Connellsville.

J. F. Bates and Fred Perry of Scottdale were business callers in town Friday.

Have your manicuring and hairdressing done by the only lady graduate in Connellsville. Guarantee to grow hair or refund money. Mrs. H. W. Rockwell, Hide & Trust building.

Miss Olive De Vore of Fourth street has returned home from a visit with friends in Uniontown.

Mrs. A. W. Hine of near Vanderbilt was shopping in town Friday.


# Royal Baking Powder Absolutely Pure

*Made from Pure Grape Cream of Tartar*

In baking powder Royal is the standard, the powder of highest reputation; found by the United States Government tests of greatest strength and purity.

It renders the food more healthful and palatable and is most economical in practical use.

Housekeepers are sometimes importuned to buy alum powders because they are "cheap." Yet some of the cheapest made powders are sold to consumers at the highest price.

Housekeepers should stop and think. Is it not better to buy the Royal and take no chances—the powder whose goodness and honesty are never questioned?

Is it economy to spoil your digestion by an alum-phosphate or other adultered powder to save a few pennies?

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Genuine Leather Parlor Suit, 5 Pieces, $85 Value

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Our complete line of Spring carpets and rugs are now on the floor ready for inspection. All carpets made, laid and lined free. Cash or credit.

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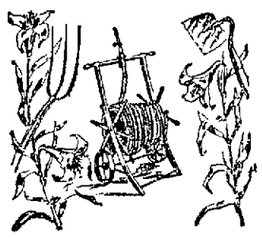

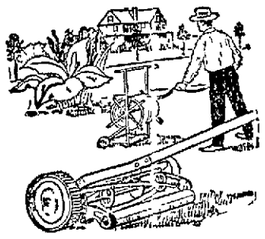

**A Little Better**

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## Easter Flowers

and Spring grass require plenty of sprinkling and April showers cannot be depended upon. You need garden hose, a hose that will not leak, that will last for more than one season. Our hose is manufactured by one of the best factories in the country. It has the quality.

**A Well Kept Lawn**

Needs attention, but if the attention is aided by the proper tools, and if our seeds are used you will not regret the result.

"ALL THAT'S GOOD IN HARDWARE."

# Schell Hardware Company



## A Word to the Wise.

# BUY WORLEY MINING STOCK

The W. P. Killen Co. own and are completing the development of a mine called The Worley, which is located in Eastern Oregon, considered by eminent Geologists to be the richest mineral zone in the World.

The mine has at present had over 2,000 feet of development work done disclosing two true fissure veins which are 5 and 7 feet wide, which by actual test of 24 tons of ore assay better than $16.00 to the ton. This ore was taken from a depth not to exceed 38 feet below grass roots. The ore grows richer in true fissure veins with depth.

We have timber and water in abundance and can mine and mill our ore at a cost not to exceed $2.50 per ton, leaving a net profit of $13.50 per ton for the stockholders.

After spending many thousand dollars to prove by developments that we "Have a mine and not a prospect." We are offering a limited block of stock for sale in this company for the purpose of building a mill on our property and complete developments.

At present this stock is selling at 25 cents per share, but will advance to par value, $1.00 per share, very soon. For further information write, 'phone or telegraph

THE W. P. KILLEN COMPANY,

Suite 1108, Empire Bldg., Pittsburg, Pa.



### Magic Mirror

The Magic Mirror entertainment given with such success under the auspices of the Tell Smith Chapter, Junior O. U. A. M., will be repeated at the church next Tuesday evening, April 10, beginning at 8 o'clock. Admission 25c.

## Everybody Likes Good Pie

[illegible]

DELICIOUS CHOCOLATE CREAM PIE

[illegible] package [illegible] with [illegible] two [illegible] three small [illegible] Quart [illegible] dissolve [illegible] simply add [illegible] to [illegible] cream and sugar. Order from your grocer. 25c per package.

### Industries Wanted

The Chicago & Northwestern Railway is receiving inquiries from desirable points on its system in regard to the opening up of the spring season with good prospects for a continuance of the large business of the past year. It is issuing many communications to manufacturers, efforts to locate new industries. Among the establishments desired are foundries and woodworking concerns, cotton mills, canning works, cold storage plants and mills of various kinds as well as mercantile enterprises. Requests to be addressed to the Industrial Department of the C. & N. W. R. Chicago will be promptly attended to.

Read The Daily Courier.

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The Daily Courier has double the circulation of any other daily newspaper in Fayette county or the Connellsville coke region and it is better distributed for the general advertiser. It is the only paper that presents each week sworn statements of circulation.
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Advertising rates on application.

Any irregularities or carelessness in the delivery of The Courier to homes by the carriers in Connellsville or our agents in other towns should be reported to this office at once.


STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION.

State of Pennsylvania, county of Fayette, ss:

Before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public within and for said county and State, personally appeared John H. Lidner, who being duly sworn according to law did depose and say

That he is foreman of the press room of The Courier, a daily newspaper published in Connellsville, Pa., and that the number of papers printed and circulated during the week ending Saturday, March 31, was as follows:

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| March 26 | 5,139 |
| March 27 | 5,194 |
| March 28 | 5,399 |
| March 29 | 5,200 |
| March 30 | 5,222 |
| March 31 | 5,504 |

That the daily circulation by months since January 1, 1906, has been as follows:

| Month. | Total. | D.Av. |
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| January | 94,784 | 3,646 |
| February | 109,858 | 4,202 |
| March | 120,422 | 4,400 |
| April | 114,362 | 4,458 |
| May | 112,914 | 4,343 |
| June | 119,014 | 4,577 |
| July | 109,398 | 4,376 |
| August | 111,672 | 4,295 |
| September | 118,040 | 4,541 |
| October | 112,755 | 4,337 |
| November | 110,147 | 4,646 |
| December | 115,552 | 4,621 |
| January, 1906 | 127,233 | 4,712 |
| February | 118,832 | 4,952 |
| March | 138,695 | 5,134 |

And further sayeth not.

JOHN H. LITMER.

Sworn to and subscribed to before me this 2d day of April, 1906.

JOHN KURTZ, Notary Public.

SATURDAY EVE'G., APRIL 7, 1906.

## INDIAN CREEK WATER versus INDIAN CREEK COAL.

The Indian Creek coal field is being tested with a view to mapping it accurately. This indicates that it will soon be open up. The natural drainage of any and all mines opened in this valley will be into Indian Creek, and nearly all of them will empty their sulphur-impregnated water into that stream above the storage reservoir of the Mountain Water Supply Company, which is spending millions of dollars to catch and convey this now pure mountain water to points along the line of the Pennsylvania railroad. Mine drainage defilement will render the water undesirable, if not absolutely unfit, for the uses to which it is proposed to be put.

The Mountain Supply Company, which is a subsidiary corporation organized, owned and operated in the interest of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, may consequently be depended upon to fight the development of the Indian Creek coal field to the last ditch. The contest will be of lively interest to the people of those towns and cities whose domestic water supply is contaminated by all sorts of drainage emptying into streams above them.

The legal principle of the greatest good to the greatest number may yet become identical with that other common law maxim that one must so use his own property as not to damage his neighbor's.

## GET WISE.

The Newslet the Third Ward's sweet little Democratic chicklet and our esteemed contemporary always warbles the following saucy spring song at the dark portals of Sleepy Alley

With bragadosio and egotism that is amusing, The Courier claims it secured the Federal building, Armory and a few other things for Connellsville. We grow weary of being compelled to take our contemporary so often to task and will not seek to belittle the big I that looms above the other type in the Sleepy Alley editorial columns.

We resent with all the power of a just indignation the insinuation that we are a "bragadosio." We don't know what it means, but it sounds awfully wicked. We demand an explanation. We never heard of the word, but we recognize the fact that it emanates from the schoolmasters' shop, and is not to be lightly questioned.

In the meantime, it may be said that The Courier never made any such claims as those referred to. If The News would quote our language, and not try to improve upon it, there would be less room for misunderstanding; but, since it is misrepresentation that is sought rather than the truth, we may not expect any such justice.

We regret to learn but our esteemed contemporary is "growing weary" of taking us to task, but that is usually the fate of Foolish People who persistently seek the Hot End of the Big Stick. The Weary Person who presides over the editorial columns of The Newslet should Get Wise.

The Road Supervisors' Convention of Washington county accomplished at least one good thing. It resulted in mutual acquaintance and the exchange of views, both calculated to broaden the Supervisors and awaken within them still greater interest in their work, all of which will in time inure to the benefit of good roads and to the people who travel them and the citizens who pay for them. The Road Convention may be regarded as a well defined start in the direction of good roads. There should be no stopping or halting by the wayside.

The Sleepy Alley I seldom sleeps, anyhow.

Football is to be revised by some of the schools and colleges. It will be shorn of its brutality and restored to the legitimate athletic class. It will be a gentlemen's game, not a pugs' scrap, and the students and the public will be lots better off for the reformation.

We may be it, but we are no "Bragadosio."

"Saloons on wheels" are what the Somerset beer delivery wagons are called by the Washington Reporter, who thinks that no such institutions should have a license. Thirsty man will have to drink his keg of beer at the brewery or wheel it home himself. It's only a question of transporting the load, which is often heavy enough without the ironbound casket in which it is originally preserved.

Fayette county seems to have a Forbidden City.

The News declares that it "has been tireless in its efforts to get a new Federal building," and that "correspondence on file in this office will prove that the authorities at Washington recognize this paper as the originator and backbone of the movement." Produce the papers. Trim' the documents in evidence. That wonderful backbone is worth coming miles to see. It's evidently made of rubber.

Small change isn't much, to be sure, but when it's a counterfeit it is worthless.

The shooting of a Mt. Pleasant policeman illustrates the importance of firing first, yet a Wilmerding officer, who fired first, has been convicted of manslaughter. It seems that it is unlawful for the policeman to fire first, but so far as he is concerned it is evidently much safer

Congressman Acheson will have to fight for a renomination. His district under a local rule will nominate by the popular vote of the three counties composing it. His opponent is a popular man in Lawrence and Beaver counties, and, being a limestone magnate, has the "rocks."

The vigilant eye of the Board of Health has been on the Milk Wagon with a special view to encouraging Promoters of Population.

William Henry Berry, Democratic Reformer, recently elected State Treasurer by a combination of Republican soreheads, Prohibition waterworkers and Democratic office-seekers, announces that Homer Lookingtongingly-and-lovingly Castle will consent to so far waive his Prohibition principles as to accept the Democratic nomination for Lieutenant Governor. Colonel Likins' "Little Giant" is simply great in his self-sacrifice.

Strange how the gentle breezes of truth from the peaceful precincts of Sleepy Alley heal to somnolence temperature the North wind of The Evening Mangler.

Two-cent passenger fares and trolley freight lines are favorite Republican planks this year, and it is not unlikely that the Democrats will attempt to ride on them, too.

Scottdale proposes to spend more money in improvements this year and not sink so much in the sinking fund.

## The Retort Courteous.

The Johnstown Democrat complains that the city has plenty of water but very little pressure.

If there is plenty of water and a proper elevation for the storage dam, the price requisite to a Johnstown's water supply are secure. The pressure is a matter of mechanical investigation and correction.

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The Charleroi Mail wants the fire limits of that town established.

Borough authorities cannot seriously entertain the safe side of the burning question.

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The Scottdale Independent warns its readers against the danger of mad dogs and suggests that there are a number of stray cats still running at large.

The stray cats are not all mad but many of them are maddening. Scottdale ought to add a sausage factory to her list of industries.

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The McKeesport Times would abolish the loud locomotive whistling.

Most communities are glad to welcome the sound of the locomotive whistle, until it becomes an established institution.

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The Morgantown New Dominion has nothing but heavy words for the men who scratch their ballots.

The average Democratic organ sees no harm in scratching a Republican ticket, but to scratch a Democratic ticket is an unpardonable sin. It's a sight of difference whose ticket is scratched.

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The Charleroi Mirror declares that Belle Vernon is behind the times because it's only $21,000 in debt.

Belle Vernon prefers to be slow and sure.

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The Greensburg Review inveighs against the American habit of "treating."

The larger share of our national hibaloushess is due to this custom, but custom is harder to break than the law.


DUNN'S CASH STORES.

129, 131, 133 N. PITTSBURG STREET, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair, warmer Saturday and Sunday; variable winds, becoming south and fresh.

THE AMERICAN GIRL

SATURDAY NIGHT APRIL 7.

You've heard lots about the American Boy but here's a stocking that is named after the American Girl. Any time after 6 o'clock Saturday night we ask you to come and see just how good a stocking we can sell you at a Stcoking Sale for 10c the pair. We have 100 dozen of these for this Stocking night, that means 1,200 pairs—as to the kind, they are fast black, fine ribbed, medium weight and a sightly stocking such as the American Girl will like to wear. Sizes 5 to 9½. As to the price we might tell you that this price of 10c the pair is less than the price at the factory today. You couldn't buy them by the case for this price. We do not limit you as to the number of pairs you buy. Buy as many as you think you'll need for the coming Summer. Chances are you'll not have a stocking opportunity such as this for some time to come.

Saturday Night, April 7th, from Six O'clock Until Closing Time, 1,200 Pairs Misses' Stockings at 10c the Pair.

DUNN'S CASH STORES.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.,

129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street.

When you call at our store to get something in the higher grade of footwear, we show you that perfection of quality and wear in the Armstrong Shoes that is not found in most other makes. A selection of shapes and styles that for correct fitting and genteel appearance appeal to wearers of fine shoes. They have that "something" to them that makes you want a pair and does not leave you grow tired of them before worn out

Plain leathers, $3.50; Patent finish, $4.00. Try them.

Norris & Hooper
104 W. Main Street



TO THE CARPENTERS AND EDGE-TOOL USERS OF CONNELLSVILLE.

We want to say a word on the subject of oilstones. No detail of your kit is more important than your sharpening stone. And it is a good safe bet that you use only one kind of stone for all kinds of work. That ought not to be done. You wouldn't expect a ripsaw to do cross-cut work, would you? Of course not, so you have both a cross-cut and a rip-saw, too. And you don't use a coarse cross cut saw to do fine joiner work, do you? No, indeed, you use a finer saw. It is just so with oilstones. Every tooluser ought to have two or more oilstones in his kit. A soft (or medium) one for wide tools and quick work, and a hard one for narrow tools and fine work, and it's a good plan too to have different shapes and sizes for different shaped tools. Ever notice how some tools take edge quickly and hold it? It's because the right kind of a stone was lucidly used. We have just received one of Pike's New Oilstone Selling Cabinets. Come and look it over, and get one of the Oilstone Booklets that are distributed gratis. Every stone is guaranteed by the makers. You cannot lose by that. Come in and see them anyway.

HOOF HARDWARE CO., Brimstone Corner.



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Try your skill and enjoy a good evenings entertainment.
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Mid-Winter Sale of Overcoats

Rather than carry over to next season a single Overcoat, we have inaugurated a Ten-Day Sale that cannot help but clean up ever coat in the house. Not a coat reserved but everyone of our elegant lines will go at

½ Price

Full length coats, plain and belted backs, double and single breasted, made up in all the late novelty materials. Also a nice line of short Top Coats.

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| $32.00 | Overcoats at | $16.00 |
| $27.50 | Overcoats at | $13.75 |
| $25.00 | Overcoats at | $12.50 |
| $20.00 | Overcoats at | $10.00 |
| $18.00 | Overcoats at | $9.00 |
| $16.00 | Overcoats at | $8.00 |
| $12.00 | Overcoats at | $6.00 |

If you don't need an overcoat now it will mean a big saying to you for next season to buy now while this sale is on.

C. A. PORT
Marietta Building
PITTSBURG STREET.



Swell Pattern Hats

The new styles for Spring and Summer are being shown in lavish display in our Millinery Department. No other store has the variety, style and swell effects that make our Millinery Department so attractive to Easter buyers. Every hat is shaped according to the latest metropolitan models and the work has all the fine finish that can be attained only by experienced milliners.

The order for your Easter hat will have prompt attention and careful work will be spent in its creation. Then prices, too, are so low that the expense need keep no one from the pleasure of an Easter hat.

New Skirts and Jackets

New Easter Jackets in the Tan Coverts Satin lined, swell in cut and finish; a jacket easily worth $10; our price is only.. $4.99

The new 3-4-length Spring Coats in new novelty effects; light barred mixtures, with black velvet collars; regular $12.50 values, for..... $5.98

Ladies' Spring Skirts in New Gray mixtures and swell checks; all the latest patterns, made in up-to-date styles, for $3.49 and $2.98

Extremely Swell Skirts, made up in the pleated and circular style; these Skirts are in blacks, blues and mixtures, worth $7.50; our price $4.99 down to. $3.48

Consider These Carpets

Best Velvet Axminster Carpet in every pattern on the market; all the new greens, reds, tans and pretty floral effects; regular $1.40 value; our price laid on your floor, yard 99c and..... 95c

Best 10-wire Tapestry Brussels Carpets, in every up-to-date pattern. Higgins' best make, laid on your floor, yard..... 79c

Best Union Ingrain Carpets, in many swell patterns; the kind you have paid 85c for; our price laid on your floor, yard..... 49c

WALL PAPER
42,000 Rolls
That's Our Stock--42,000 Rolls. 175 Patterns. The Greatest Stock Ever Brought to Connellsville, Representing the Two Largest Factories in the World.

Fine Kitchen, Bedroom and living room pattern —bolt—10c down to..... 3c

Fine Gilt and Silk Papers, with applique and straight borders — bolt — 30c down to..... 10c

Orientals, Florals, Crepes and Ingrains — bolt — 50c down to..... 12½c

The New York Racket Store



A CHARMING PRESENTATION OF
Easter Suits, Coats, Skirts and Waists

The inducements our splendidly equipped suit section holds forth to critical women this season are exceptional. We are showing a charming array of this season's most captivating creations which will appeal to the fastidious dresser. They are void of that sameness which wearies one and the prices are remarkably moderate.

**Beautiful Tailored Suits** for Easter at $27.50, $24.50, $20.00, $16.50. See our special line at $10.50 $12.50 and $14.50

**The Swagger Coats,** cleverly tailored, $12.50 $10.50, $8.50 and $6.00

**Covert Jackets,** made of double-and-twist covert, latest models, $20.00, $16.50, $15.00, $12.50, $10.50, $8.50 down to $4.50

Latest Ideas in Ladies' Skirts

Made of fancy Grey Mixtures, Panamas, Chiffon Panama, Silk and Voile. We have the style and price you want.

**Dainty Shirtwaists.**—A most exceptional collection of women's beautiful new skirtwaists, $6.50 down to 50c.

Style, Material and Workmanship Are Some of Our Very Strong Points

EASTER MILLINERY

A most advantageous offering of distinctive and original hats. There is marked individuality in the hats we show at

$5.00, $7.50, $10.00 and $12.50

106 W. N. LECHE 106

# LOCAL AND PERSONAL

**Live Local News From All Parts of the Town.**

Miss Martha Newcomer, who has been ill at her home at Brookvale for the past several weeks is able to be up again.

Mrs. C. L. Mentzer is in Pittsburg visiting relatives for a few days.

Miss Maud Jennings returned home this evening from Beaver College to spend the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Jennings, South Prospect street.

Thompson's Barosma has never failed to cure or relieve any disease of the kidneys, liver or bladder; also rheumatism, Sciatic, palpitation of the heart, nervous debility and female weakness. Thompson's Barosma can be taken by all ages and has cured many children of non-retention or bed-wetting. 50c and $1.00. All druggists. J. C. Moore, Connellsville.

Connellsville Division officers of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad have lodged in jail at Morgantown, W. Va., Frank Howell of Bellaire, O., on the charge of cracking the safe in the B. & O. passenger station at Morgantown, and stealing $119 in October, 1905.

Miss Elsie Humbert entertained the M. E. Epworth League at her home last night.

Go to Frisbee Hardware Company for cream separators.

Miss Marguerite Davis, daughter of the late Rev. William Davis, and Miss Lulu Layton, niece of Dr. Courtney of Morgantown, are house guests of Miss Elsie Humbert.

Dr. C. D. Anderson, dentist, 202-205 Title & Trust Building, city.

Miss Martha Dowling, who returned Wednesday from a visit of five weeks at Rochester, Pa., came to her home in Connellsville Thursday. Her parents live at Connellsville, but she spends a great part of her time in Uniontown with her sister, Mrs. Anna Haney of Morgantown street.

Saturday candy 29 cents per pound at Barkley's

O. W. Beatty and daughter, Mrs. M. Lemon, of Uniontown left Thursday morning for Latrobe, to attend the 84th birthday anniversary of Mr. Beatty's cousin, Mrs. Brown. J. R. Beatty of Connellsville also went.

Mrs. Fanale Seaton of Dunbar was in town Friday evening.

Cleaning and repairing of ladies' and gentlemen's clothing at cheap prices, also buy and sell second hand clothing. D. Simon, Newcomer building, 135 N. Pittsburg street.

Fred Felty of Uniontown was in town this morning on his way to Ohiopyle to visit relatives. Mr. Felty is traveling salesman for the Connellsville Grocery Company.

Miss Marie Kane of Everson was calling on friends in town this morning.

W. E. Tanzehill has the largest supply of wall paper. Before buying come and see our line.

Miss Audith Bixler was here from Morgan town this morning on her way to attend the teachers' institute of Dunbar township which is being held today at Leisenring.

Mrs. Biddle Hornbeck, Miss Anna Woodmancy, Dickerson Run; Misses Clara and Ada Carroll, Dunbar; Miss Nora McFarland, Scottdale, Harry McDonld and Roy Henry, Dawson, saw "Babes in Toyland" at the Colonial Theatre Friday evening.

The best garden seeds are sold by the Frisbee Hardware Company

James Cox of Mt. Pleasant was calling on friends in town Friday.

B. F. Forsythe of Dawson was a business caller in town this morning.

Miss Jessie Woodward of Vanderbilt was in town this morning.

How are your kidneys? It is dangerous to delay when your kidneys are sick. One box of Kidney-Ettes will recommend the next. 25 cents. A. A. Clarke, Connellsville. F. E. Ogleveo, Vanderbilt.

Miss Edith Davidson, a student at Walnut Lane College, Philadelphia, arrived home Friday to spend her Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davidson, of North Pittsburg street.

Graded streets, sewers, curbs and concrete walk go with the Hogg lots, 214 Title & Trust.

Miss McDonough of Broad Ford is the guest of Mrs. Frank Bradford of North Pittsburg street.

Miss Carrie Dull of Vanderbilt was among the out of town shoppers here Friday.

If you want a good range or cook stove go to Frisbee Hardware Co.

Miss F. Minnie Goode of Berryville, Va., who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Fries, of Gibson avenue, for the past several days, returned home this morning.

Deputy Revenue Collector J. M. Murtland was here from Dawson this morning.

Pimples or any other skin blemish can be cured by San-Cura Ointment and San-Cura Medicated Soap. 25c All druggists. J. C. Moore, Connellsville.

Mrs. N. A. Rist of Dawson was the guest of her daughter Mrs. Harry Carpenter of Fairview avenue Friday.

Misses Ella and Elizabeth Gray and Miss Anna Rogan were the guests of friends at Scottdale Friday evening.

Mr. R. E. Umbel and Mrs. J. B. Hogg of Uniontown attended a card party given Friday afternoon by Mrs. J. C. Moore and Miss Hettie Brown at their home on Water street.

**Pinehurst, Tampa, Palm Beach.**

Southern Pines and all winter resorts of the Carolinas, Florida, Nassau and Cuba best reached via Washington and Seaboard Air Line railway. Three through trains daily with dining cars and Pullman sleepers. The shortest and quickest route with most attractive stopover points en route. For booklet and information address R. H. Stansell, T. P. A., 1421 Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, D. C.

## DAWSON.

**Live Notes From the Busy Little Town Down the Yough.**

Dawson, April 7.—At a special meeting of the Dawson Camp No. 10,709, Modern Woodmen of America, last night, a number of new members were initiated into the order. This is one of the largest orders in the State and is growing stronger each day.

Mrs. Cyrus Critchfield was calling on friends in Connellsville Friday.

Joe Angle, the Fayette County gasman, was a business caller here Friday.

Dr. J. F. Cogan left Friday morning for his old home at Everett, Bedford county, where he will spend a few days with his parents, who are reported on the sick list.

Charles Rush, the Uniontown attorney, came down Thursday and stayed over night at his home, the Rush House, returning to the County Seat Friday morning.

Misses Bloom and Wertz and Lucian Smith, who attended the Moore dance Thursday evening, left Friday afternoon for their homes at Morgantown.

A special meeting of the Dawson Fire Company was held in their new rooms last night. New officers were chosen. The members of the company are very proud of their new headquarters, and claim that with a little practice and drilling they will have one of the best companies in the State. Their new room is a beauty. It is large and spacious, well lighted, and has both city water and gas. The room is finished in natural wood. Two large drug gets cover the floor. It is well furnished with large tables and chairs. The company recently purchased 1,000 feet of new hose. They have also ordered a new hose cart. With the new equipment in addition to the old one, Dawson will feel pretty safe in case of fire.

Postmaster Charles McGill was a business caller at the Yough Metropolis Friday morning.

Mrs. Lawrence P. Monahan of Pittsburg is here for a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Phil C. Moore.

Dawson sent a good delegation to Connellsville last night to see "Babes in Toyland" at the Colonial.

J. C. McGill was a Connellsville caller this morning.

Invitations are out for the second annual ball to be given by the Dickerson Run Lodge No. 632, B. of R. T., to be held in Cochran banquet rooms, Dawson, on Monday evening, April 30. The proceeds of this ball will be for the benefit of the sick relief fund. Special invitations have been issued for the ball and the best of order is assurred. The hours for dancing will be from eight until two A. M. Kifer's orchestra will furnish the music.

## VANDERBILT.

**Personal Chat from the New Borough Down the Yough.**

Vanderbilt, April 7.—At the Christian church tomorrow the pastor, Rev. L. A. Johnson, will occupy the pulpit at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. and Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Friends and members of the church are invited to attend.

Rev. M. M. Hildebrand, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, will preach at 10:45 and 7:45. Sunday school at 9:15. Epworth League at 6:15. You are cordially invited to attend each service.

Rev. R. L. Price, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, will speak on the following subjects tomorrow morning: "The Ideal Christian" and in the evening: "The Value of Silence." Sunday school at 10 o'clock and Young Peoples' meeting at 6:30. You are cordially invited to each service.

Harry Welsh, brakeman on the B. & O. railroad, in Connellsville, was here Friday calling on friends.

Dr. R. M. Hill left this morning for Farmington where he will visit friends and look after some business matters.

Mr. Miller of Connellsville was in town Friday afternoon on a mission of business.

Mrs. William Knight of near town was in New Haven Thursday, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Oscar Shoenberger.

Josiah Freed, a well known farmer of near here, was transacting business and shaking hands with friends in Connellsville yesterday.

**Stabbing Ends in Murder.**

Nicholas Stoiljacic a Slav, who was stabbed at Youngwood last Sunday night, died at the Westmoreland hospital yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Mike Topovac who is alleged to have done the stabbing, fled.

**A Birthday Party.**

Lonzo Scott gave a birthday party at his home, No. 132 W. Fairview avenue, on Friday evening, at which twenty-six guests were present. Lunch was served at 11 o'clock.


**Wanted.**

WANTED.—WAITRESS. APPLY AT HILL HOUSE, Scottdale, Pa. 4apr4td*

WANTED.—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Small family. $2.00 per week. Apply MRS. L. M. MACE, 251 East Main street. 7apr2td

WANTED.—MACHINIST CAPABLE of taking charge of shop. Acquainted with overhauling all engines, pumps and machinery in general around coal mines. Good salary for right man. Address MACHINIST, care The Courier, Connellsville, Pa. 6apr3td-Eapr4tw

**Lost.**

LOST.—ON APRIL 5, IN CONNELLSVILLE, a compass and square. A semi gold watch charm with small diamond set. Reward if left at Courier Office. 7apr2td*

**For Rent.**

FOR RENT.—A NICE COTTAGE OF five rooms. All modern improvements. Also two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. North Eden. Apply 208 East Crossland. 6apr3td

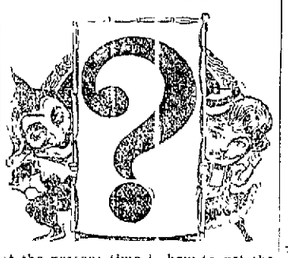
FOR RENT.—FURNISHED ROOM, No. 315 W. Fairview street. 2mar31td

FOR RENT.—FURNISHED ROOM, North Window. Rent $1. MRS. M. H. FAIRLAMB, 118-Stat. phone 521. 4apr3td

**For Sale.**

FOR SALE.—TWO LOTS OF ground on East Main street at sacrifice for good reason. Choice building lots on South Pittsburg street, Race street, Crawford avenue and Green street. Board walk in the new Hogg plan. East side Addition. Call and see plan and get prices. S. M. JOHNSON, 204 Title & Trust Building. 6apr12d

# The Shoe Question Before Us



at the present time is how to get the best value for the least money. Competition is keen, and we are still keeping at the head of the procession as givers of the best values in town. There is no question about the superiority of our Shoes and the cheapness of our prices. We offer only one trial, and leave your future trading to your own judgment afterwards.

**Gorman & Co.**

Sell Good Shoes Cheap.

# AARON'S

# No Other Pennsylvania Store Has Grown Like This.

To be successful for a short time means nothing. Dishonesty succeeds some times—for a little while. If there's rottenness at the root the tree won't thrive. If, however, a business grows and grows and continues to grow—it must be sound and clean in root, in branch, in principle and practice.

And if our store shows a greater and sounder growth than any other store in the same city—that one store must of necessity deserve every dollar's worth of prosperity that comes to it.

No store in the city has ever grown so amazingly as Aaron's.

Just think of it—the greatest furniture and carpet store in the state of Pennsylvania. And this in a territory which was said when we first came here to be overcrowded with furniture stores—in a city where other furniture stores, it is true, have shown practically no growth at all.

You can't explain these things away. You cannot dismiss them with a wave of the hand.

They mean that a majority of the people of Western Pennsylvania who buy furniture—a big majority—have found this to be the highest class and yet within the most saving and satisfactory of its kind in the city.

We carry more customers on our books today than all the other furniture houses in the city combined. All these customers have "shopped" and compared; and any or all of them will tell you that "you'll do better at Aaron's," better in price and better in value.

We do not hesitate to say that our furniture, despite its high standard, is bought on a closer basis than that of any other furniture house in the city.

We do not hesitate to say that we buy a greater volume of furniture, carpet, etc., than any other store in the western part of the state.

We do not hesitate to say that

# You'll Do Better at Aaron's

We may have made, in the foregoing statement, some claims that seem sensational. Well, in some ways are claims our sensational, because it is a somewhat sensational matter we are speaking of—a sensational growth of a store which we hope you are proud of.

You may not know it, but the furniture men of the whole United States know the details of our rapid forward strides and they use us as an example in speaking of wonderful gains and the beauty of square dealing.

Our new store, which we are now occupying, has been pictured in trade papers and magazines and has been cited in one instance as "the greatest and most completely equipped store in any city of less than 200,000 inhabitants in the United States."

We hope you will pardon the length of this talk today on the ground that we are enthusiastic about the new place—but at the same time we want you to recollect that every statement made in this announcement has been weighed as carefully as a piece of gold and, as they say in Missouri, we are prepared to SHOW YOU.

**Store Closes at 6 P. M. Except Monday and Saturday.**

A brilliant enamel surface on your stove without rubbing.

Neal's Iron Enamel provides the polish—just paint it on with a brush. Don't waste time and labor in polishing your stoves every few days with stove polish—use Neal's Iron Enamel.

For stoves, stove-pipes, grates, furnace pipes, etc. Prevents rust and decay. Withstands extreme heat.

Good Brush free with each can.

Made by
Acme White Lead & Color Works, Detroit, Mich.

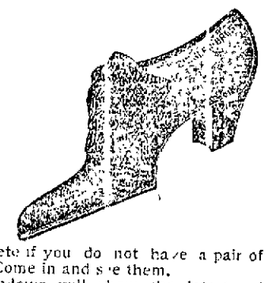
**Kreger, Wiant & Young**

Next Door to Postoffice.

KREGER, WIANT & YOUNG carries the choicest line of Meats and Groceries in town. But did not know they were carrying the finest line of Wall Paper and Paints also. Let them show you the largest assortment of Wall Paper in town. They have recently fitted another for the New Era Paints of which they carry a full line. White Lead Oil, Turpentine, Brushes, etc. Let them do your papering and painting for you, for they can please you. One Door Below Postoffice.

# WE ARE READY NOW

to show our Zeigler Oxfords complete. Never were Oxfords more beautiful than the ones we have this season. The winged tips in patent colt and gun metal calf in court ties are very popular. Something you don't see in any other shoe store outside of the city.



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# SERMONS TOMORROW.

## What the Ministers Will Preach on From the Local Pulpits.

## THE HOURS OF SUNDAY SCHOOL

And Meetings of the Various Societies and Organizations in the Several Churches of Connellsville and New Haven.

Palm Sunday will be celebrated with appropriate services in Trinity Lutheran Church. The Catechetical class will meet for their final lesson at 9 A. M. The pastor will preach at 11 A. M. on "The Royal Son of David," and at 7.30 P. M. on "The Gift of the Samaritan." Special Lenten services will be held every evening next week, beginning promptly at 7.45 o'clock, Monday evening, at Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Valentine's, South Prospect street; Tuesday evening, at Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hetzel's, New Haven; Wednesday evening, at Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Zimmerman's, East Green street; Thursday evening, at Joseph Wilson's, East Fairview avenue. On Good Friday evening the preparatory services will be held in the church. All are welcome.

First Baptist Church. Preaching tomorrow at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. by Alonzo Alvin DeLarme, minister. Subjects of sermons, "Wound Up Like a Clock" and "Why Connellsville Needs Another Licensed Hotel." In the morning the Senior Chorus choir will sing "There is a Happy Land" and Junior choir will sing "The Everlasting Arms," by Hoffman. Evening, Senior choir, "Alleluiah Carol," by P. N. Sharpley; Junior chorus, "I Shall Know Him," by Fanny J. Crosby. The auditorium was filled last Sunday night. All are welcome. Bible school with classes for persons of all ages at 10 A. M.

Christian Church, C. M. Watson, pastor. The regular church services are held at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. The subject for the morning is "His Last Week." For the evening, continuing "The Call of the Master Time." "The Call of the Easter Time." "The Monk—a Call to Obedience, Chastity and Humility." The Sunday school has a Boys' Rally Day tomorrow. The school will give a social for the parents of the scholars next Friday afternoon. The Christian Endeavor Society meets at 6.45, Walter Schenck being leader.

First Methodist Protestant Church, West Apple street, Rev. W. H. Gladden, pastor. Sunday school promptly at 9.30 A. M.; Class and Praise service, led by W. W. Pickett, at 10.30; preaching by the pastor at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Subject of sermons: Lessons from Palm Sunday; rehearsal of Easter program by Sunday school at 2.30. Y. P. S. C. E. prayer meeting at 6.30. All are cordially invited. A special welcome to parents of our Sunday school children.

The services at the South Side Baptist Church, West Pittsburg street, tomorrow are as follows: Sunday school, 10 A. M.; preaching at 11, subject of sermon, "A Church in Straits." Preaching also at 7.30 P. M., subject, "Christian Identity." We extend a cordial invitation to all to attend these services. T. W. Lyons, pastor.

First Methodist Episcopal Church, corner of Apple and Meadow streets, M. A. Riggs, pastor. Divine worship at 11 o'clock A. M. and 7.30 P. M. All other services as usual during the day. The pastor will preach at Shaniko Chapel in the afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

The First United Presbyterian Church, North Pittsburg and Pulaski streets, Rev. J. J. Huston, D. D., pastor. You will be made welcome at the following services on Sabbath: At 10 A. M., Sabbath school; 3 P. M., the Junior Union, 6.30 P. M., Christian Union. The pastor will preach at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. In the morning the sermon will be on "The Word of the Lord" and the subject of the evening address will be "A Dead Man's Power." Choir and congregational singing is enjoyed at all the services. All men church goers are given a special invitation to come and enjoy these services.

Presbyterian Church, Rev. Wm. A. Eddie, pastor. Morning subject, "Quenching the Spirit." Evening subject, "Humbling Ourselves." All are welcome. The Italian service will be held in the Presbyterian Chapel Sabbath afternoon at 3.30.

German Lutheran St. John's Church, George Dietz, pastor. Service at 10 o'clock A. M. Twenty confirmandes will be confirmed. Subject of sermon, St. Luke XXIII 46, "Father, into thy hands I commend my spirit." Quarterly congregational meeting at 11 15 A. M. All are cordially invited.

The Rev. Dr. Cartwright has so far recovered from his recent severe indisposition as to be able to resume part of his duty tomorrow, and he will preach in Trinity Church, New Haven, in the evening a sermon appropriate to Palm Sunday and Holy Week.

Trinity Church, New Haven, Palm Sunday. The service in this church tomorrow will be in the evening instead of in the morning, commencing at 7.30. The rector will preach a sermon appropriate to Palm Sunday and Holy Week, and the choir will sing suitable hymns and music. During Holy week there will be service in the church on Wednesday at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M.; on Monday, Thursday at 3.30 P. M., and on Good Friday at 10.30 A. M. Services will be held at Scottdale tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, Thursday evening at 7.30 and on Good Friday afternoon at 3, and at Dunbar tomorrow afternoon at 3, on Tuesday evening at 7.30, and on Good Friday evening at 7.30. All persons are cordially invited to join in these services in commemoration of the closing scenes in our Lord's life.

United Brethren Church, Crawford avenue, W. V. Barnhart, pastor. Bible school at 10 A. M.; preaching at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Young People's meeting at 6.30 P. M. There will be gospel services held each evening next week except Saturday. All are welcome.

## FROM THE DOCKETS.

### Deeds and Marriage Licenses Recorded During the Week.

Joseph N. Lewis and others to S. H. Morris, lot in Franklin township, $298.80. April 12, 1906.

Henry C. Bowman and wife to Mary E. Brown, [illegible] in Franklin township, $[illegible]. April 5, 1906.

John Gallagher to Jacob B. Gallagher, two lots in Uniontown, $1,700. April 5, 1906.

Paul Salcedr and wife to Bailey J. English, two lots in Perryopolis, $5,000. March 27, 1906.

Robert J. Allen and others to Mary M. Porter, lot in Uniontown, $13,000. March 29, 1906.

Carnegie Land Company to George S. Harah, lot in Fairchance, $100. April 4, 1906.

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What They Say of Plays Coming to the Colonial Theatre.

The Princess Beggar.

Edward Paulton, the author of "Princess Beggar," in which Paula Edwardes will be seen at the Colonial Theatre, on Tuesday, April 10th, has endeavored to write a complete and consistent farce independent of the musical setting, but he has at the same time skillfully provided for the logical and legitimate introduction of songs and ensembles so that they seem germane to the piece and not merely interpolated. Alfred G. Robyn, the composer, is well known by his beautiful ballads which are sung by

countless thousands. His best known operatic work is "The Yanker Consul," which scored a great success. Paula Edwardes has both the vocal ability to interpret Mr. Robyn's score and the comedy talent to realize every phase of the admirable part which Mr. Paulton has fashioned for her. The Messrs. Shubert have lavished money on the production of "Princess Beggar" and Miss Edwardes starts her new season with everything in her favor. The company includes Eddie Garvie, Stanley H. Forde, Howard M. Favor, Bertram Wallis, Douglas Ruthven, Helen Marvin, Edith Sinclair and others of prominence.

### Fell From Step Ladder.

Ralph Conn of Percy fell from a step ladder Thursday while working at Harry S. Clark's drug store, Uniontown, and sustained painful bruises and quite a cut in his forehead. He was taken to the hospital, where he was attended, after which he was taken to his home.

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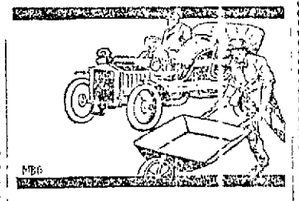

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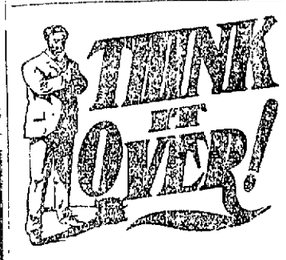


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# Beverly of Graustark

By GEORGE BARR M'CUTCHEON, Author of "Graustark"

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CHAPTER I

FAR off in the mountain lands, somewhere to the east of the setting sun lies the principality of Graustark, serene relic of the old feudal days. The traveller reaches the little domain after an arduous, sometimes perilous, journey from the great European capitals, whether they be north or south or west—never east. He crosses great rivers and wide plains, he winds through fertile valleys and over barren plateaus, he twists and turns and climbs among sombre gorges and rugged mountains, he touches the cold clouds in one day and the placid warmth of the valley in the next. One does not go to Graustark for a pleasure jaunt. It is too far from the rest of the world, and the ways are often dangerous because of the strife among the tribes of the intervening mountains. If one hungers for excitement and peril he finds it in the journey from the north or the south into the land of the Graustarkians. From Vienna and other places almost directly west the way is not so full of thrills for the railroad skirts the darkest of the danger lands.

Once in the heart of Graustark, however, the traveler is charmed into dreams of peace and happiness and—paradise. The peasants and the poets sing in one voice and accord their psalm being of never ending love. Down in the lowlands and up in the hills the simple worker of the soil rejoices that he lives in Graustark. In the towns and villages the humble merchant and his thrifty customer unite to sing the song of peace and contentment. In the palaces of the noble the same patriotism warms its heart with thoughts of Graustark, the ancient Prince and proud peer strike hands for the love of the land while outside the great, heartless world goes tumbling on without a thought of the fair little principality among the eastern mountains.

In point of area Graustark is but a mite in the great galaxy of nations. Glancing over the map of the world one is almost sure to miss the infinitesimal patch of green that marks its location. One could not be blamed if he regarded the spot as a typograph-ical or topographical illusion. Yet the people of this quaint little land hold in their hearts a love and a confidence that are not surpassed by any of the lordly monarchs who measure their patriotism by miles and millions. The Graustarkians are a sturdy, courageous race. From the faraway century when they fought themselves clear of the Turkish yoke to this very hour they have been warriors of might and valor. The boundaries of their tiny domain were kept inviolate for hundreds of years and but one victorious foe had come down to lay siege to Edelweiss, the capital. Axphain, a powerful principality in the north, had conquered Graustark in the latter part of the nineteenth century, but only after a bitter war in which starvation and famine proved far more destructive than the arms of the victors. The treaty of peace and the indemnity that fell to the lot of vanquished Graustark have been discussed upon at length in its least one history.

Those who have followed that history must know, of course, that the reigning princess, Yetive, was married to Count Antoine de Dantan at the very close of the nineteenth century. This admirable couple lived in quite romantic fashion while the young sovereign was travelling hither and thither through the United States of America. The American, a splendid fellow named Lorry, was so persistent in the subsequent attack upon her heart that all ancestral prejudices were swept away, and she became his bride with the full consent of her entire subjects. The manner in which he wooed and won this young and adorable ruler forms a very attractive chapter in romance, although unmentioned in history. This being the tale of another day, it is not timely to dwell upon the interesting events which led up to the marriage of the Princess Yetive to Count Lorry. Suffice it to say that Lorry won his bride against all wishes and odds and at the same time won in endless love and esteem from the people of the little kingdom among the eastern hills. Two years have passed since that notable wedding in Edelweiss.

Lorry and his wife, the princess, made their home in Washington but spent a few months of each year in Edelweiss. During the periods spent in Washington and in travel the affairs in Graustark were in the hands of a capable, austere old diplomat, her uncle, Count Caspar Halfont. Princess Yetive reigned as regent over the principality of Axphain. To the south lay the principality of Dawsbergen, ruled by young Prince Dantan, whose half brother, the deposed Prince Gabriel, had been for two years a prisoner in Graustark, the convicted assassin of Prince Lorenz of Axphain, one time suitor for the hand of Yetive.

It was after the second visit of the Lorrys to Edelweiss that a serious turn of affairs presented itself. Gabriel had escaped in escaping from his dungeon. His friends in Dawsbergen started a revolution, and Dantan was driven from the throne at Serios. On the arrival of Count Lorry at the capital the army of Dawsbergen espoused the cause of the prince it had spurned and three days after his escape he was on his throne, defying Yetive and offering a price for the head of the unfortunate Dantan, now a fugitive in the hills along the Graustark frontier.

CHAPTER II

MAJOR GEORGE CALHOUN was a member of congress from one of the southern states. His forefathers had presented the same commonwealth, and so it was likely would his descendants if there is virtue in the fitness of things and the heredity of love. While intriguers were opening the trails through the fertile wilds west of the Alleghanies a strong branch of the Calhoun family followed close in their footsteps. The major's great grandfather saw the glaciers and the possibilities of the new territory. He struck boldly forward from the old Revolutionary grounds, abandoning the traditions and traditions of the Carolinas for a fresh wild life of promise. His sons and daughters became solid stones in the foundation of a commonwealth, and his grandchildren are still at work on the structure. State and national legislatures had known the Calhouns from the beginning. Battlefields attested their valor, and drawing rooms had proved their gentility.

Major Calhoun had fought with Stonewall Jackson and was his friend, and at the same time the friend and band of Beverly Haswell, the starchest Confederate who ever made slings, bandages and prayers for the boys in grey. When the reconstruction came he went to congress and later on became prominent in the United States consular service for years holding an important European post. Congress claimed him once more in the early nineties, and she held him at this very time.

Everybody in Washington's social and diplomatic circles admired the beautiful Beverly Calhoun. According to his own loving term of identification she was the major's youngest. The fair southerner had seen two seasons in the nation's capital. Cupid standing directly in front of her had shot his darts ruthlessly and resistlessly into the passing hosts, and Washington Washington looked humbly to her for the balm that might soothe its pains. The wily god of love was taught enough to protect the girl whom he forced to be his unwilling partisan in unconscious allegiance. He had his humorous table still between Hart and the assaults of which many of such high and low degree had fallen. It was not idle rumor that said she had declined a coronet on two, that the millions of more than one American Midas had been offered to her and that she had dealt gently but firmly with a score of beaux who had nothing but love, ambition and poverty to support them in the conflict.

The Calhouns lived in a handsome home not far from the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Crentall Lorry. It seemed but natural that the two beautiful young women should become constant and loyal friends. Women as lovely as these have no reason to be jealous. It is only the woman who does not possess of her personal charms that cultivates envy. At the home of Graustark's princess Beverly met the dukes and barons from the far east. It was in the warmth of the Calhoun hospitality that Yetive formed her great love for the American people.

Miss Beverly was neither tall nor short. She was of that divine and indefinite height known as medium short, but perfectly molded, strong, but graceful, an absolutely healthy young person whose heart knew well how to take care of itself. Being quite heart whole and fancy free she slept well, ate well and enjoyed every atom of life. In her blood ran the warm, eager impulses of the south, but military love of ease and luxury displayed itself in every emotion. The perfectly normal demand upon men's admiration was as characteristic in her as it is in any daughter of the land whose women are born to expect chivalry and homage.

A couple of years in a New York finishing school for young ladies had served gently to modify Miss Calhoun's colloquial charms. Many of her delightful "way down south" phrases and mannerisms were blighted by the cold unromantic atmosphere of a seminary conducted by two ladies from Boston who were too old to marry, too penurious to love and too prim to think that other women might care to do both. There were times, however, if she were enrolled on earth artistic—when pretty Beverly so far forgot her training as to break forth with a very attractive "you all" or a rough or "go along now." And when the bands played Dixie she was not afraid to stand up and wave her handkerchief. The northerner who happened to be with her on such occasions usually found himself doing likewise before he found escape the infection.

Miss Calhoun's face was one that painters coveted deep down in their artistic souls. It never knew a dull moment, there was expression in every lineament in every look. Life, animation, life dwelt in the mobile countenance that turned the head of every man and woman who looked upon it. Her hair was dark brown and abundant, her eyes were a deep gray and looked eagerly from between long lashes of black; her lips were red and ever willing to smile or turn plaintive as occasion required; her brow was broad and fair, and her frown was as dangerous as a smile.

As to her age (?) the girl admitted somewhat reluctantly that all her children were old enough to vote, her mother, with the reluctance born in women, confessed that she was past twenty, but a year or two either way will cut no ice. Miss Beverly's age so far as the telling of our story is concerned. Her oldest brother, Kenneth Calhoun (the one with the long, sonorous heritage), thought she was too young to marry, while her second brother, Tom, held that she soon would be too old to attract men with matrimonial intentions. Lucy, the only sister, having been hopefully married for ten years, advised her not to think of marriage until she was old enough to know her own mind.

Towards the close of one of the most brilliant seasons the capital had ever known, less than a fortnight before congress was to adjourn, the wife of Crentall Lorry received the news which sped like my disappointment over the entire social realm. A dozen receptions, teas and balls were destined to lose their richest attraction and hostesses were in despair. The princess had been called to Graustark.

Beverly Calhoun was miserably unhappy. She had heard the story of Count Lorry's escapade and the consequent probability of a conflict with Axphain. It did not require great stretch of imagination to convince her that the forces were hurrying off to a state of intrigue, strife and bloodshed in that no only Graustark, but its princess, was in jeopardy.

Miss Calhoun's most cherished hopes had dwindled with the announcement that trouble now threatened Yetive, dear to Edelweiss. She had been holding that Beverly should spend the delightful summer months in Graustark, as guest at the royal palace. The original arrangements of the Lorrys were horribly disturbed by the intelligence from Graustark. They were obliged to leave Washington two months earlier than they intended, and they could not take Beverly Calhoun on a dangerous Graustark. Her contemplated visit to Graustark, and the pleasures that had to be postponed and then were not.

Yetive's mail were piling up, the trains and Lorrys were in a wild state of hurried preparation for departure on short notice. On the day after the news was received Lorry was nowhere to be found. Yetive was in bed, but she confessed. She delivered the preparations, the telegrams and responsibilities to her uncle, Lorry's friends and responsible aides, and went to the princess bonded to take questions and Beverly just in the frequently and fearfully resolute to leave the household. Perhaps she could be of help, at least she could not be called upon to see no one. Lorry's telegrams and telephone calls were swamped by her secretary, the latter in the bitterness of excitement. The hitherto friends of the family were in the abode of panic, and Graustark was off in a close grip from the world of business that could be dispatched at once. The princess and her anxious relatives were to take the evening express for New York and the next day would find them at sea.

I know I shall cry all summer," vowed Miss Calhoun, with conviction in her eyes. "It's just too awful for anything. She was sitting in her room, the cushions of the divan and her hat was the picture of careless neglect. For the moment Yetive's trouble had vanished in her joy at having the girl with her. Yetive's trouble was not of a nature to be lightened by the presence of a friend, but she felt that instinct had led her to seek her first refuge in the company of her friend. It was a time of trouble, and yet, at the point of death, she would not have had to lose all this trouble up to yet she remembered.

Prince Gabriel was the essence of trouble, or so said Yetive plaintively. "He wants to marry poor Lorry! Just as the poor fellow is in the city of his life."

"I wish we had him over here," the American girl answered stoutly. "He would not be such a fool. I'm sure. We don't be small, you know, worry us very long, you know."

"But he is quite the important over there. I only fear the difficult part of it, and I dare say it is only. You see he is a royal prince."

"Then you ought to hang him or electrocute him or whatever it is that would do to murderers over there," spoke Beverly promptly.

"But, dear, you don't understand. He won't permit anything of the sort. He is quite the prince, you know, and he is correctly quoted by my uncle. When Lord Cecil sent an envoy to inform Dawsbergen respectfully that Graustark would hold Prince Gabriel personally responsible if Count Lorry were not returned safely, Gabriel himself replied to Graustark he hanged."

"How rude of him, especially when you made such a fuss about it. He must be a very disagreeable person," announced Miss Calhoun.

"I'm sure you would not like him," said the princess. "His brother, who has been driven from the throne and from the capital, I mean, is quite different. I have not seen him, but my ministers regard him as a splendid young man."

"Oh, I hope he may get back with his army immediately," cried Gabriel," cried Beverly fervently.

Alas! sighed the princess. "The result is very sad, besides he is finding it extremely difficult to keep from being troubled himself. The army has gone over to Prince Gabriel."

"Oh," said Miss Calhoun, who was thinking of the enormous armies the United States can produce at a moment's notice. "We good Americans, we have the army, we have the navy, we have the militia, from out Thorvis could beat it to

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## NEW HAVEN.

Local Matters from the Sister Borough Across the Youghiogheny

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## Railroad Time Tables.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

Schedule in effect Nov. 19, 1905

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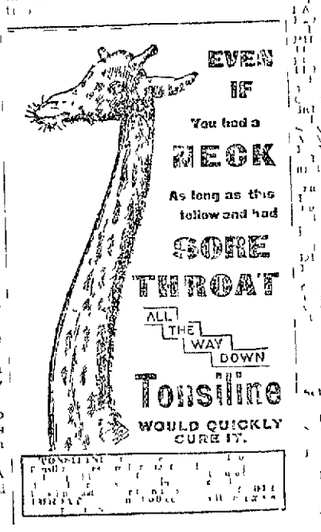



## Why Suffer?

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

Schedule in effect February 18, 1906

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## WEST PENN RAILWAYS COMPANY.

January 1, 1906

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## MORE IMPORTANT STORE NEWS

### Unparalleled Values.

Union Supply Company stores are completely filled up with novelties for men, women and children. The new goods that we have been receiving during the last three months are the choicest the market produces and we assure you most positively that the prices are reasonable.

### Special Values for Women

In Made up Dresses and Wraps in all kinds of dress goods, silks and satins. Henrietta cloth, gray suitings. Elegant lines of underwear. New and showy styles in Spring and Summer silks. Important forward movement of hosiery. Unusual opportunity for early buyers of a summer supply at greatly reduced prices.

### New Style Millinery. Beautifully Trimmed Hats.

are being moved daily to our superb stocks and the women say that we lead the coterie on fine choice styles and most important of all is the fact that they say we are selling goods at about one half prices of the regular millinery stores.

We cordially invite inspection.

## UNION SUPPLY COMPANY,

53—DEPARTMENT STORES—53

Located in Fayette, Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties

# Last Preparations In Easter Apparel Most Satisfactorily Made At Wright-Metzler Company

HERE are the stocks of Easter dress, wraps and millinery selected in strict accordance with fashion's demands. Here are the most comprehensive stocks of men's suits and overcoats, the handsomest, most correct and perfectly fitting clothing existing anywhere, ready-made. Here is boys' clothing distinctly better than is to be found elsewhere, splendid stocks of girls' dresses and infants' wear. Here are the best shoes that are made the best gloves, starting with the Dent for men and women. Here is Connellsville's finest showing of men's Easter neckwear. Here are the best shirts and collars and the most elaborate showing of new Spring Hosiery. Prompt, intelligent service and Wright-Metzler Company shopping is always satisfying, choosing from broad comprehensive stocks such as these is far more satisfying than when your choice is limited to a few designs.

**Comparison.**—We are, of course, certain that nearly every person who purchases an Easter garment here has been in many other establishments before a home was made. Our stocks are bought and priced with this thought ever uppermost in our minds and the bulk of our ever growing business enable us to discount competition in both quality, variety and price.

## The New French Back Overcoats $20

The change in the overcoat style is decidedly the most radical in many seasons. It follows the general trend of 1906 fashions and dates its mold back to the reign of Napoleon. It therefore leans strongly to a military effect with its waist conformity and wide flaring skirts.

We are showing these in a wide range of clothes and the very cut of them demands for them a place in every well equipped wardrobe. $20.00 and $22.50

## $2.50 A Splendid Showing of Women's Trimmed Hats

You'll marvel at the beauty and style of these hats. Late at this wonderfully low price. Our splendid buying power enables us to offer exceptional values in millinery as well as in every other department in this establishment. This is a great time for Easter only a little more than a week away.

**$2.50 Made of Yeddo straw and lace, prettily trimmed with liberty silk ribbon and flowers in a variety of handsome stylish shapes. $2.50**

The additional facilities in our millinery department enable us to fill your hat needs quickly and satisfactorily and Wright-Metzler styles are authoritative.

## Women's Silk Waists An Easter Special $3.50

This is one of the best waist values we have ever been able to present. It is just another illustration of our ability to buy waists. You'll be convinced when you see them that they are the equal to any $5.00 waist you've seen.

**$3.50 Handsomely made of white Jap silk, trimmed with lace insertion and edging and fine tucks, new full sleeve and handkerchief cuffs. $3.50**

This is only one of the many striking values that our waist department offers. The offering is the broadest and most satisfying in this community. We invite inspection, sales follow.

## Matchless Shoes to Match the Easter Suit

There is going to be a hurry day for men and women who have not yet provided their Easter shoes and nowhere can hurried shopping be done with more celerity and satisfaction than at Wright-Metzler Company. Our lines provide a splendid assortment in various leathers in both high and low styles and no matter how extravagant may be the extras compelling you'll find our shoes are superior at no matter what price you choose to pay. These shoes present all the style touches, faddish and practical, that can be found in other good shoe stores, but our prices differ from others. We buy our shoes direct from the maker and that means when you pay for a shoe here you get an added goodness in the leather that corresponds to the jobbers' profit in dollars and cent that your money pays for in stores that buy their shoes of the middle man.

WOMEN'S $2, $2.50, $3, SHOES $3.50 and $5

MEN'S $2, $2.50, $3, SHOES $4 and $5.

CHILDREN'S 50, 75, $1, SHOES $1.50 and $2

## The Marchioness

This is absolutely the finest of the many stylish models of the present season. It is finding immediate favor in the great fashion centers as its full graceful line and its adaptability as an over garment for the light filmy dresses for summer are at once apparent.

We show it in a sweeping variety of checks, plaids and stripes in 45 and 50 in models. We can positively state that we are the first to exhibit these in Connellsville and that our initial purchase was almost prodigal. The price range is from $8.50 to $18.00

# WRIGHT-METZLER CO.


## News From Nearby Towns.

### DUNBAR.

**Events of the Day in the Busy Furnace Town**

Dunbar, April 7.—Prof. S. T. Frazer, principal of the borough schools, submits the following excellent report for the seventh month, the first figures denoting enrollment, the second average and the third percentage: Room No. 1, frame building, teacher, Miss Edna Minor, 67, 56, 84. Room No. 2, brick building, teacher, Miss Ella Keck, 61, 55, 9. Room No. 3, teacher, Miss Gladys Butterworth, 44, 37, 91. Room No. 4, teacher, Miss Olgeveo, 45, 41, 91. Room No. 5, teacher, Miss Jane Rodgers, 42, 38, 91. Room No. 6, teacher, Mrs. Edel Beckingham, 47, 37, 91. Room No. 7, Prof. S. T. Frazer, 66, 60, 97. Mr. Frazer is very desirous that the excellent attendance that has been maintained during the winter may still continue on through the remainder of the term. All reports have an excellent record.

Mrs. Eliza Moberly, who has been visiting this section of the country for some time, left Dunbar yesterday morning, for Dawson, where she will visit for a few days, after which she will leave for her home in Canton, O.

Rev. P. P. Dennis of the Baptist Church will preach Sabbath morning on "The Conclusion of Christ," and in the evening his subject will be "The Conversion of Sinners." All are cordially invited to attend.

P. L. Kern, superintendent of the Continuous Glass Press Company, returned home yesterday after spending several weeks in California.

Burgess W. M. Cottom and Squire D. K. Camp are report business very dull with them at the present time.

William H. Lidy was here yesterday from South Bend, Pa., on a business trip.

Miss Bridget Reilly and Mrs. Michael Carney were calling and shopping in Connellsville yesterday afternoon.

Miss Kate Wills of Uniontown was calling on friends here Thursday.

Mrs. Jerome Linhart was shopping in Connellsville Friday afternoon.

Miss Mary Lancey was visiting friends in Union Saturday.

Miss Johnnie Lord is home from Mt. Pleasant on a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lord.

Miss Anna Bigbee of Uniontown, who is cashier for the Union Supply Store at Leisenring, was the guest of friends here Thursday evening.

Ordinance of Baptism will be observed at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning.

In a collision which occurred on the B. & O. this morning, the cows belonging to Mr. Hoover were killed. Mr. Hoover's loss will be quite heavy.

### OHIOPYLE.

**Notes from the Little Mountain Resort Up the Youghiogheny.**

Ohiopyle, April 7.—[illegible]

### PERRYOPOLIS.

**Paragraphs from Famous Old Village Washington Land Out.**

Perryopolis, April 7.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hope were to shop in Pittsburg on Thursday.

Antrim Place of Connellsville was transacting business in town yesterday.

Mrs. Peso Lucas of Summer Hill was shopping in town Friday.

Henry Moberly and wife, who have been visiting in Kansas and other western states for several months, returned to Stewartsville on Thursday evening.

The Dispatch Still Made the Junction of Mr. Phillips will be played in the auditorium of Stewartsville on this evening, for the benefit of the K. of P. lodge of this place.

Services at the Church of Christ tomorrow. Sunday School at 10 a.m. Preaching by Rev. Long at 11 a.m. In the evening Rev. Long will commence a series of meetings in the auditorium at Stewartsville. There will be a home talent music quartette sing at the meetings and everyone will be welcome to attend.

At the M. E. church Sunday.—Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. Class meeting at 10:30 a.m. Epworth League at 6:30 p.m. Lecture at 7:30 p.m. Preaching by Rev. Haines at 8 p.m.

Mrs. B. F. Collins and Miss Beth Collins were shopping in Connellsville on Thursday.

### Uniontown Home Burglarized

William Jenkins of Uniontown was awakened early Friday morning by a masked man standing over his bed with a revolver in his hand. The man demanded all he had in money. Jenkins was instructed to keep his mouth shut and secured a gold watch and a sum of money.

### PERSONAL CHAT

**And Local Mention in Brief From the Mill Town.**

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### Pay Your Water Rent

Uniontown, April 7.—The Uniontown Water Company, 118 North Pittsburg street. Office hours, mornings until 8 o'clock. Due to April 1.

### Pledged to Y. M. C. A.

The following young men were pledged to the Young Men's Christian Association building, Uniontown, on Thursday night.


# SATISFIED CUSTOMERS

Every customer should be wide awake enough to know when they have a chance to save money. Look at these prices for this week and see if you can afford to neglect buying some of these goods.

## Special For Friday and Saturday

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| 9 bars Space Class Soap | 25c | 1 lb Pure Buck Wheat | 25c |
| 11 lb Box Cell Dust | 10c | 1 can Silk Pineapple | 20c |
| 1 [illegible] Milk Soap | [illegible] | 1 bottle Salad Dressing | 25c |
| 1 can Mary Wee Lye | [illegible] | 1 lb California Prunes | 25c |
| 1 bottle Ammonia | [illegible] | 1 qts Navy Beans | 25c |
| 1 box Blacking | [illegible] | 1 can Sour Kraut | 25c |
| 6 cans Sour Hominy | 10c | 1 can Electric Carpet Cleaner | 10c |
| 1 can Fairy Soap | [illegible] | 1 bottle Maple Flake Syrup | 25c |
| 1 [illegible] Cloth Pin | 10c | 6 boxes Matches | 10c |
| 1 [illegible] Chinex Washing Fluid | 25c | | |

50-lb. Sack White Satin Flour $1.30 — 4 qts. Yellow Onion Sets 25c

A full line of Fresh Meat, Beef, Pork, Veal and Lamb to be had at our Fresh Meat Department.

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109 West Main Street — Connellsville, Pa.

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Amusement for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 5, 6 and 7

## The Bull Fight

Reproduction of an actual fight in Madrid, Spain. VERY EXCITING.

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ADMISSION 5 CENTS

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## Stylish Shoes for Stylish Men

# $5.00

Strong & Garfield Shoes are both stylish and good. They add to the appearance of the best dressers and give the good service that goes with their good style. We can fit you in any style with any leather desired.

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